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BIG SEAPLANE STARTS ON TRIP TO TREPASSEY

Halifax, May 14.—The seaplane NC-4 arrived here at 2:10, local time (1:10 New York time) this afternoon, having completed a flight from Chatham, Mass., in four hours and five minutes, an average speed of more than 80 miles an hour.

The NC-1 and NC-3 averaged slightly more than 60 nautical miles an hour in their Rockaway Beach to Halifax flight.

Chatham, Mass., May 14.—The seaplane NC-4 started the flight for Trepassey, N. F., at 9:05 o'clock, this morning.

Local weather conditions were ideal for flying. There was only a light breeze and the sea was calm. Reports from points between here and New Foundland and from ships in the North Atlantic, indicated that the big plane will encounter good weather all the way to Trepassey Bay.

Only men stationed at the naval base and a few fisher folk saw the NC-4 start. A few minutes after Commander Read went aboard from a naval launch, the mooring lines were cast off and in a moment the deep throated roar of the plane's four powerful engines broke out.

REBIRTH OF RUSSIA UNDER KOLCHAK; ALLIES TO GIVE RECOGNITION.



Admiral Kolchak.

The recognition of the Government of Admiral Alexander Kolchak at Omsk by the Allies and the United States as the de facto Government in Russia is expected to be announced any day, according to a dispatch from Paris.

WHIPPING POST NEEDED FOR MAN WHO BEATS WIFE

"I'll sentence you to six months in the work house and fine you \$200 and costs. I'm sorry we haven't the whipping post for such men as you."

Judge J. C. Marshall thus disposed of the case of Harry Wombold, farmer, living near Ferry, in Sugar-creek township, who was arrested on a charge of assault and battery filed by his wife.

With her nose bleeding from a blow struck by her husband, Mrs. Wombold came to Xenia Tuesday morning, and filed the affidavit. Deputy Sheriff Birch was unable to locate his man, who had left home on Tuesday, but he went after him again Wednesday morning, and found him a short distance from his home. He said that he was on his way to Xenia to give himself up, but he returned with the officer to his home, and brought along the three-year-old daughter, who is the subject of contention between the couple. She was turned over to the mother in court.

The Wombolds each were married before, had families before their marriage to each other took place. Wombold had eight children, all adults, of whom only two are staying at their father's home. Mrs. Wombold had two children, and after her marriage to Wombold, they became the parents of three children.

Mrs. Wombold told the court that her husband had beaten her more than once, and was arrested on such a charge in Montgomery county last fall, but was released, the couple adjusting their difficulties.

This spring they moved to Ferry, where they are living on a farm. When the trouble arose Tuesday, Mrs. Wombold said, both she and her husband tried to obtain possession of the children, but he was successful in getting the little girl, but the two boys jumped in the automobile with their mother and got away. Mrs. Wombold's 12-year-old daughter, who broke into the fracas to help out her mother, also was struck.

Prosecutor Smith was present in court, but Wombold did not have an attorney, and entered a plea of not guilty. He was inclined to consider the matter a huge joke, until the judge hung on him a fine and sentence which will keep him in the work house for the next two years.

CASHIER KILLS SELF ON COUNTRY ROAD

Canton, O., May 14.—Officials of the Mineral City Bank were today investigating the bank's financial condition, following the suicide last night of D. O. VanKirk, 42, cashier.

VanKirk shot himself in his automobile on a country road near Canton, leaving a note which said the bank's affairs were involved. The note indicated that he had twice decided to kill himself, but had delayed the act in hope of straightening out his business affairs. He was also interested in the coal business and operated several small mines in this vicinity.

CUMMINS TO BE PRESIDENT OF SENATE

Washington, May 14.—Senate Republicans in caucus today unanimously selected Senator Cummins, Iowa, as president pro tem of the senate.

Formal election merely awaits convening of the senate. Senator Cummins was nominated by Senator Borah, on behalf of Progressives. Perfect harmony marked today's organization caucus, senators declared.

ARTIST WILL BE GUEST AT THE RUTHRAUFF HOME

Mrs. Frances Morton Crume who sings at the Devastated France Benefit Concert, will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ruthrauff while in this city. Mrs. Crume is an artist who is so very well liked that wherever she appears, she reappears. "She has a magnificent voice, a pure contralto of beautiful quality and splendid resonance, a wealth of temperament and a strong dramatic feeling and expression."—(Grand Rapids Press.)

"In Indianapolis, Marie Dawson Morrell is a favorite as a soloist in churches. Literary clubs and musicals." Mrs. Morrell is a young violinist who leaves enthusiastic audiences wherever she plays. Her playing is characterized by mature conception, firmness and convincingness of presentation, vigor and freshness of style.

GUILD ENTERTAINED BY MISS SHAFFER

The home of Miss Louise Shaffer on West Third street, was opened to members of the Westminster Guild Tuesday evening, when Miss Shaffer, Mrs. Frank Jackson and Miss McCarty were hostesses at the regular meeting of the society.

The program included papers by Miss Faye Ledbetter and Miss Harriet McCarty, and Miss McCarty also greatly pleased the company with a song. A refreshment course was served. The girls took their needlework, and they spent the rest of the evening chatting over their sewing.

NAVY DIRIGIBLE IS ON ITS WAY

New York, May 14.—The United States navy dirigible C-5, nicknamed the "Blimp" left Montauk Point L. I. shortly before 8 o'clock this morning for New Foundland, the government radio bureau announced. The crew of the "Blimp" hoped to arrive before the American seaplanes jumped off for the Azores.

STATE AUDITOR HANDS SENATOR WAGNER A JOLT

Columbus, May 14.—"A childish exhibition of spleen and venom."

State Auditor Donahey in a scolding statement thus characterized the action of the senate which just before recess sliced off \$7,500 from the auditor's department and cut his traveling expense account from \$1,200 to \$200.

Senator Wagner of Cleveland led the fight to slash Donahey's funds, after Donahey had cut out the expense accounts of Wagner and Lieut. Governor Brown, who went to New York with other legislators to welcome returned Ohio soldiers.

"I am not questioning the honesty of Senator Wagner or any other member," Donahey declared, "but when an Ohio senator gets into his hide at public expense in one and the same day a \$2.35 breakfast, \$4.20 lunch and a \$4.60 dinner, it is not only the duty of the auditor of the state to cut such extravagant bills, but I think his senatorial district should permit him to retire to private life where he can make a study of the amount of money his constituents find necessary to spend each day for their beans."

Other members of the legislative committee turned in reasonable expense accounts, Donahey said. Brown and Wagner, he declared, "have an exaggerated idea of the dignity of their positions."

GOODYEAR BALLOON CONCEDED THE WINNER

Washington, May 14.—The F-34, entered by the Goodyear Company, is conceded by Commander Maxfield, directing the navy balloon race, as the winner in the race from Akron, Ohio.

The F-34 landed on the Atlantic coast, near Hillsboro, Del., is conceded to have won the race although the official decision has not yet been made. The other competitors and their landing places are as follows: P-55, Navy, 37 miles from Ocean City, Md.; F-20, City of Akron, Clayton, Del.; Sherwin-Williams, shot down in Pennsylvania; F-10, representing Superintendent Construction of Air Craft, 3 miles west of Tuckahoe, N. J.; Chamber of Commerce, A-22-15, two miles north of Mount Pleasant, Del.; Hoyt, Hayden Court House, across from Annapolis, Md.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE ON J. H. LACKEY

In celebration of Mr. Lackey's birth anniversary, and as a surprise to him Mrs. J. H. Lackey and her daughters entertained a company of about forty friends at noon dinner Tuesday at their home near Jamestown.

Mr. Lackey was unaware that he was to be the honor guest at a birthday dinner, until, upon answering a ring at the door bell he was met by the company who had been invited as a surprise to him.

The house and the tables were decorated with spring flowers, and the table was centered by a great birthday cake, upon the snowy surface of which gleamed 62 pink candles. After the excellent dinner, the guests spent the afternoon at the Lackey home. Mrs. D. H. Cherry, of this city, was among the guests.

ASK FOR LICENSES.
Columbus, Ohio, May 14.—Two Columbus saloons, one in the heart of the city, and the other on the Marion road, have asked for license to do business Monday, May 26, and have deposited the necessary \$105 initial payment for the one day license.

OVER 100 PERSONS ATTEND CEREMONIES AT MASONIC HALL

Inspection and initiation ceremonies were held by Aldora Chapter No. 262 Order of the Eastern Star, at the Masonic Hall Tuesday evening, and about 150 people were in attendance, including a number of prominent visitors.

The inspection was conducted by Mrs. Maud Finley, of Mt. Sterling, deputy grand matron for Ohio, and Kyle C. Trevor, of Springfield, worthy grand patron. Mrs. Nellie C. Davis, of Springfield, grand chaplain, and Miss Clara Galloway, of Columbus, grand aide, James Founders, of Dayton, grand sentinel, and Mrs. Jennie Huff, man of Dayton, grand marshal, were also among the visitors.

There were other visitors from Springfield, Dayton, and New Burlington, Jamestown and Waynesville lodges.

A banquet was served at 6 o'clock and Mrs. Frank Shelly, past matron of Aldora Chapter, gave the address of welcome to the visitors. Four new members were initiated.

BUSTS THEIR TABLET OVER SPEAKER'S HEAD

South Bend, Ind., May 14.—City Councilman Maurice Vennet has his ideas as to how to handle "radicals" in this country.

Vennet went to a meeting of local radicals last night to see what "those cuckoos do at their meetings." As he entered the hall, the speaker was offering his views on how to run the country. These views did not interest Vennet. But a picture of a tablet bearing a number of names and inscribed "these men died for the fatherland killed by United States bullets" did.

Vennet pulled the picture from the wall and before the radicals could interfere crashed the frame on the head of the principal speaker, and after telling the "whole bunch what I thought of them," left the hall.

Police later restored order among the radicals.

VILLA ON WAR PATH AGAIN IN MEXICO

Juarez, Mexico, May 14.—Francisco Villa, at the head of a strong armed force, is moving in the direction of Ojinaga, opposite Presidio, Texas, to collect a large amount of ammunition and arms smuggled across the Rio Grande, according to reports reaching here today.

DELEGATES ARRIVE AT VERSAILLES. COUNT BROCKDORFF-RANTZAU AND OTHER GERMAN



Arrival of German delegates at Versailles.

This is the first photograph reception, is shown in the center. The lived here showing the arrival of the Teuton emissaries are on their way to German peace delegation at Versailles from the railroad to quarters assigned on April 29. Count Brockdorff to them. Rantzau, head of the German delegation.

PARTY HARMONY EXPECTED TO RULE AT CONFERENCE

Washington, May 14.—Party harmony was expected to rule the conference of senate Republicans today to name a slate of senate officers to be voted on when the session opens next Monday.

The issue raised by the Progressives—whether Senators Penrose and Warren shall be chairmen of the finance and appropriations committee—was not expected to come up, except indirectly.

That will be decided at a later caucus when the committee on committees makes its report.

Progressives met today an hour before the general caucus to decide whether they will present the name of Senator Lenroot, "Wisconsin, as their candidate for president pro tem. Senator Johnson, California, definitely declined to be a candidate. Lenroot is en route here from the Pacific coast and it is not known how he would regard being drafted as a candidate.

The business of today's Republican caucus is the selection of the president pro tem, who presides over the senate in the absence of the vice president; choice for candidates for senate clerical offices and naming of the committee on committees, steering to guide legislation, and the committee on patronage.

Progressives planned to present the names of Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, and Jones of Washington, as their candidates for members of the committee on committees which will have nine members.

There were strong indications today that if the Progressives nominate Lenroot, he will be chosen president pro tem.

Senator Curtis, regarded as the likeliest "regular" Republican candidate after Senator Smoot's withdrawal, prefers to keep his present position, as whip, it was said, and stated today he is not a candidate for the other place.

Progressives united on Senator Cummins, Iowa, as their candidate for president pro tem at a meeting in Senator Borah's office, early today.

They were unable to reach Senator Lenroot, who is on his way here from the Pacific coast, and did not wish to nominate him without knowing how he felt about accepting.

Regular Republican leaders indicated that Cummins will be acceptable to them.

COMMUNITY DINNER IS MUCH ENJOYED

Mr. and Mrs. L. Urshel, of East Church street, was host and hostess Tuesday evening when the community dinner which is held every few weeks by residents of the Davidson Apartment, and former residents of the house, took place at their home. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Urshel, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Patterson, James Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Heathman and daughter Imogene, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fries, Misses Sarah and Eleanor Williams, and Miss Scott Brundage, of Dayton.

POLAND WANTS PART OF GERMAN FLEET

Paris, May 14.—Poland has filed a request with the peace conference for a part of the German fleet, "for defensive purposes," it was learned today.

Granting of this request would give Poland the first navy in her history, which dates back nearly 1,000 years.

AMERICAN CRUISER SAID TO HAVE FIRED ON ITALIAN WARSHIP

Athens, May 14.—(Passed by French censorship)—A dispatch from Smyrna says that an American cruiser fired two shots at an Italian war ship on the morning of May 12, for disobeying allied naval orders. The shots were fired across the bow and stern of the Italian war craft, the dispatch said.

Paris, May 14.—No official report had been received today at the office of Admiral Benson, U. S. N., regarding the unofficial report from Athens that an American cruiser had fired two warning shots at an Italian war ship off Smyrna.

American naval officials refused to discuss the report.

FORMER CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF OHIO PASSES AWAY

Youngstown, O., May 14.—David Tod, who ran unsuccessfully against Frank B. Willis for the Republican nomination for governor in 1914, died at his home here today.

He was a son of William Tod, Youngstown manufacturer and a grandson of David Tod, governor of Ohio during the civil war.

Tod was 49. He was born in Girard, Ohio.

From 1901 to 1906 he was a member of the Youngstown city council, and from 1909 to 1913 was state senator from the Trumbull-Mahoning county district.

At the time of his death he was president of the Youngstown and Suburban Railway company. He also was publisher of The Citizen, a weekly newspaper.

TOWN IS SACKED.

Milan, May 14.—The retreating Jugo-Slav troops that invaded Austria sacked and destroyed the town of Windisch-Gratz, not even sparing persons of their own nationality, according to advices here today.

THREE MORE NOTES ARE RECEIVED BY "BIG FOUR" FROM GERMAN DELEGATES

Paris, May 14.—Three lengthy German notes were handed to the "Big Four" this morning and they began immediate consideration of them.

The first dealt with the German request for oral discussions of the peace treaty.

The second related to a sub-plan for the disposition of the Saar valley based upon a division of the coal fields.

The third demanded freedom of intercourse with Austria.

It is expected that all three will eventually be rejected.

BY FRED S. FERGUSON.

Paris, May 14.—The "Big Four" today received three new notes from the German delegates relative to the peace terms. Their nature was not disclosed.

Seven communications concerning the treaty have thus far been delivered to the allies. The request contained in the first two was promptly refused. The second two, dealing with labor and German war prisoners were referred to a special committee of experts.

It was believed a reply to the labor note might be made today.

Confidence was expressed in high quarters, that notwithstanding the present flood of communications from the Germans they will complete their objection to the terms well within the 15 days time limit and that the allies will have made full reply within another ten days.

The same authority admitted the cleverness of the labor note, which may be used as a wedge for more objections, also as a means of winning the sympathy of certain radical elements throughout the world.

The German plan for a league of

nations which was referred to the allied league commission sets forth the following principles, it was learned today:

First—Prevention of international disputes.

Second—Universal disarmament.

Third—Freedom of traffic and general equality of economic rights.

Fourth—Protection of National minorities.

Fifth—Creation of an international workers bureau.

Sixth—Regulation of colonial questions.

Seventh—Union of existing and future international institutions.

Eighth—Creation of an international parliament.

The league, under the German plan, would comprise all belligerent states including those established as a result of the war and all neutrals comprising The Hague world arbitration league. New members would be admitted by two thirds vote. Entrance of the Holy See would be held in reserve. The league would be composed of two bodies, a congress of states and an international parliament. All secret treaties would be abrogated.

AUSTRIAN PEACE DELEGATES ARE HOURLY EXPECTED

Paris, May 14.—The Austrian peace envoys are expected to arrive today, and it is likely that they will be handed to them by next Wednesday.

The Austrian credentials will be examined by a commission, headed by Jules Cambon of France and Henry White of the United States.

The delegates at Versailles have sent a communication to Vienna by way of Berlin, appealing to the Austrians to co-operate with the Germans in securing unity during the discussions.

Both Premier Orlando of Italy, and Baron Sonnino, the Italian foreign minister, have called upon Colonel E. M. House during the past 24 hours, but it is understood that no progress has been made towards the settlement of the troublesome Fiume question.

GERMANS DO NOT WANT TO GIVE UP THEIR EX-KAISER

Paris, May 14.—The German peace delegation finds the clause of the treaty providing for the surrender of the ex-kaiser and other German officials for trial unacceptable to them.

and it is understood that this protest is contained in one of the notes forwarded to the allies today. They have made counter proposals.

Advices from Berlin stated that the leaders of the various political parties had protested against part of the terms, especially the radical conservatives. The belief is prevalent here that the Germans must abide by the clause although formal reply will be made to any suggestions that are contained in the German note.

HEROIC COLORED WOMAN RECOMMENDED FOR CARNEGIE MEDAL

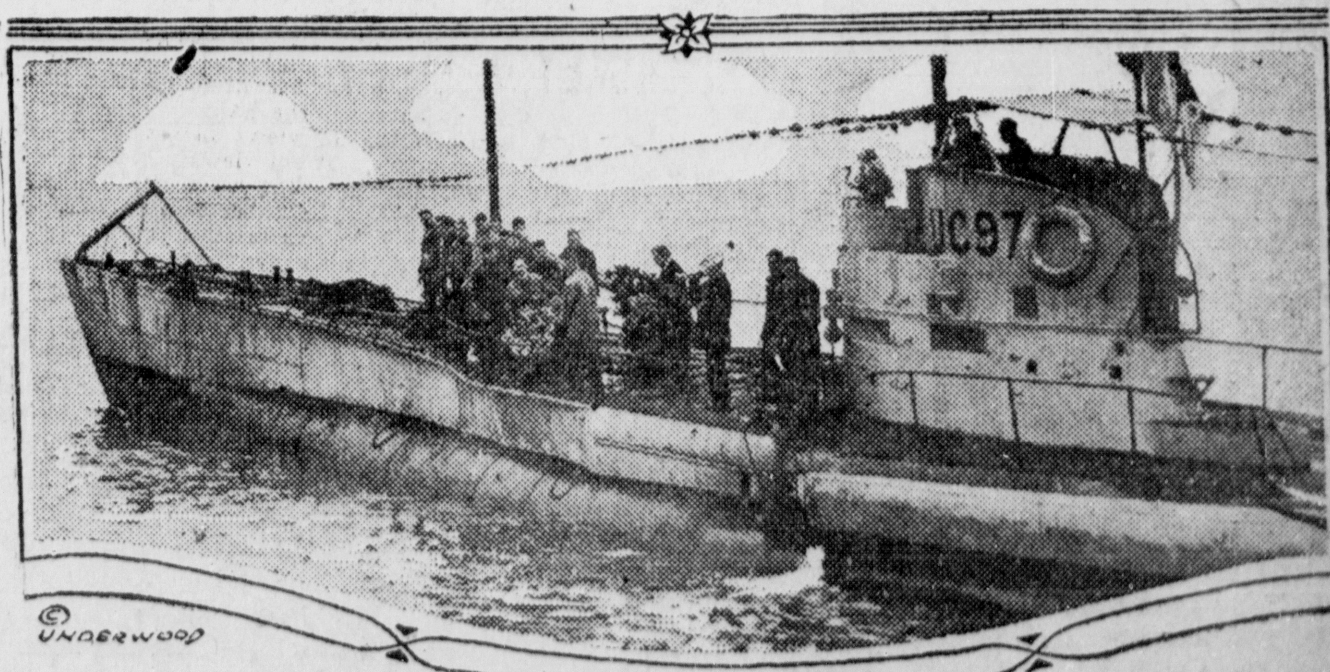
Columbus, May 14.—Mrs. Sallie Melrose, colored, will be recommended by Mayor Kark for a Carnegie medal for her heroism in connection with the tenement house fire in Columbus last week which took a toll of ten lives. Mrs. Melrose, while others stood rooted to the ground with horror, climbed the fire escape and saved three children by carrying them to safety.

TWO TRANSPORTS ARRIVE.

New York, May 14.—The transports, Giuseppe Verde and Pesare, with 3297 returning soldiers aboard, reached this port today.

The Calamares was reported off Sandy Hook with expectations that she would be in before late, afternoon. She carries 2,208 additional men.

TRIBUTE PAID TO LUSITANIA VICTIMS FROM U-BOAT



Floral tribute to Lusitania victims being lowered over side of captured UC-97 in New York harbor.

A fitting tribute to the thousand persons who lost their lives in the Lusitania disaster was paid recently by Victory loan campaigners in New York. From the deck

of the UC-97, captured German submarine credited with sinking the liner by a U.S. boat. The UC-97 is one of the captured U-boats that were to boost the loan.

performed on the anniversary of the sinking of the liner by a U.S. boat. The UC-97 is one of the captured U-boats that were to boost the loan.

LOCAL ITEMS

The Rev. and Mrs. C. G. Lunan of Findlay, who have been guests at the J. L. Peterson home on North Main street, left Friday for their home. Miss Ina Jackson of Xenia was also a guest at the Peterson home. Rev. and Mrs. Lunan spent the earlier part of the week in Xenia, attending the Theological Seminary there, of which college Rev. Lunan is a graduate.—Urbana Citizen.

Farm For Sale—The 45 acre farm of the late Sarah E. Peterson located on the Lower Bellbrook Pike 6 1/2 miles from Xenia, will be sold by order of court at public auction at the court house in Xenia, on Saturday, May 24, 1919, at 10 a. m. Crops go with farm. For further particulars call or see L. T. Marshall, Attorney, Xenia, Ohio, 19 S. Detroit St. Bell phone 17-R. Citizens phone 132 Black.

The Greene County Sunday School Association will hold its annual convention in the Presbyterian church in Yellow Springs, Tuesday, May 27, with sessions morning, afternoon and evening. Marion Lawrence, secretary of the International Association, and A. T. Arnold, secretary of the Ohio State S. S. Association, will be the chief speakers. Dinner and supper will be served by the ladies at a nominal price.

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WEATHER REPORT

OHIO—Generally fair tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Maddux, Miss Bell Putnam and Mrs. Putnam of Frankfurt, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hartsook for a few days. They came to attend the Caesar Creek High School commencement last night when Miss Dorothy Faulkner, a relative, graduated.

Two Gazette routes for sale. Apply right away. 5-15

The Social Service office will be open on Thursday and Friday from 8 to 10 o'clock a. m. and 1 to 2 p. m. The workers will attend the Regional Conference.

Big cut in prices on United States Tires. Come and see us. Zell-Keys Tire Co. adv-5-12&13

First Lutheran church service this Wednesday evening, 7:30. Topic, Psalm Nineteen. Dr. Culler will have charge of the services.

Wanted—Two experienced dining room girls. New Martin Hotel, Wilmington. adv-13and14

As the result of pricking a pimple on his arm with a pin, about a week ago, Carl Hertlinger, a young man living near Bowersville, is dangerously ill of blood poisoning. The infection has spread until the entire arm and hand are affected, and there is little hope for his recovery.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of Trinity church has been postponed from Friday to Saturday and will be held at the home of Mrs. S. B. LeSourd.

Foster Smith, who lives on the Wilmington pike, is very ill of pneumonia.

Have your feet examined free at Moser's Shoe Store, by Dr. Scholl, a foot specialist from Chicago, tomorrow Thursday is the last day. adv

Rev. Paul Stewart, and his son, Robert, of Greenwich, N. Y., are spending a few days in Xenia visiting relatives. They expect to visit Chicago and points in Iowa and Kansas before returning home. Mr. Robert Stewart recently returned from seven months spent overseas as a Sergeant in the Coast Artillery.

Regular meeting of Phoenix Rebekah Lodge No. 74, Thursday the 15th. Initiation. Secretary.

Regular monthly meeting of R. N. of A., Monday, May 19th. May dues collected. Recorder.

Xenia Lodge No. 49, F. & A. M., Special Communication, Friday, May 16, 1919, 7 o'clock P. M. Work in the F. C. degree. Visitors welcome. By order of W. E. Swabb, W. M.

The McClellan Y. P. B. will meet at the home of Miss Ruth Burrell, Friday evening, May 16, 1919. Refreshments, fruit and small cakes.

Mrs. Ed. Brown and daughter, Jean, Marie, Mrs. Martin O'Tool and daughter, Margaret, of Springfield, and Miss Isabel O'Connell of Washington, D. C., are visiting Mrs. Mary Carlos of Hill street.

Delmer Compton, one of the graduates of the Spring Valley high school, in this year's class, was awarded a scholarship offered by Wilmington college, for having the highest standing in his class. He did not know that he had been awarded the honor until it was announced at the commencement Tuesday evening.

The R. D. Bryan farm near Jamestown, has just been sold to Mr. George Earley, of near Columbus. The farm consists of 230 acres and was sold through the agency of Charles Williamson, of Jamestown. Mr. Williamson states the price paid as thirty-four thousand, five hundred dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kellis, of Xenia spent last week at the home of Mrs. Kellis' daughter, Mrs. Arthur Foley, of Park street, Dayton.

George R. Potter, former young Xenia boy, is making his home in Sparrow Point, Maryland, where he is employed at the ship yards. Mr. Potter expects to return home in July.

WANTED — Working mothers to bring their babies and small children to the day nursery. Location: Shoe-craft property.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Perry Shumaker removed Wednesday from their home on Maple street, to the Newton Led better house on Pleasant street.

A MODERATE DEBT

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Lansing, Mich.—"After the birth of my child I was not able to stand on my feet. I was so weak I could not get up. I suffered such pains in my back I could not work or hardly take care of my baby. One of my neighbors recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash, and I got better right away and was soon a new woman and could work hard, and I can recommend these remedies to other young mothers who are weak and ailing as I was."—Mrs. ORA O. BOWERS, 621 S. Hosmer Street, Lansing, Mich.

Women who are in Mrs. Bowers' condition should not continue to suffer from weakness and pain—but profit from her experience and give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial.

For suggestions in regard to your condition write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their 40 years' experience is at your service.

Mr. Earl Murray, Jesse Gray, Donald and Frank Farquhar, of Jamestown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Berakfield, of Port William Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lynch were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seymore Wade.

Lost—Pair glasses, between Hill St. school and Pennsylvania depot. Call Myrtle Routzong, 171 Hill St. or Cit. 530 Blk. 5-14and15

Mrs. C. W. Dustin, wife of Judge C. W. Dustin, formerly of Dayton, now of New York City, has sent her check for \$500 to President W. S. Scarborough for Wilberforce University, with the request that it be used where most needed. Judge and Mrs. Dustin are now in Thomasville, Ga., their winter home, but will leave for New York within a few days.

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The term of City Auditor Roy C. Hayward, who has resigned to take position as assistant manager of the Greene County Lumber Company, expires Wednesday, and Mr. Hayward is serving his last day in the employ of the city. The new auditor, Hylving Stokes, has been in the office several days familiarizing himself with the work. He will assume his new duties Thursday.

Mrs. Everts Shanklin Varnum and her daughters, Fayette and Dudley of Ridgewood, N. J., are expected to be in Xenia about the first of June for a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Varnum's sister, Mrs. C. E. Arbogust. The Varnum family formerly lived in Xenia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Arbogust are receiving a visit from the latter's mother, Mrs. Fred Keisker, and Mrs. James Baker of Louisville, Ky.

Every First Methodist Church unit leader is urged to be present at the church tonight.

The McClellan L. T. L. will meet at the home of Olivia and Donaldson Cost, 208 Dayton avenue, Saturday, May 17, 2 p. m. Come, and bring your dues and a new member.

Miss Katherine Harned, who went to Washington last week to take a government position, which was tendered her, is located in the filing department of the War Risk Insurance Department.

The King's Heralds and Home Guards of the First M. E. and Trinity churches are requested to be present at the stereopticon lecture tonight by Rev. A. L. Ryan, at the First M. E. church, hour 7:30. Seats will be reserved for them and they will sit in a body. This lecture will be of special interest to the young people, who have been studying "Jack and Janet in the Philippines." Rev. Ryan is in charge of the Sunday school work in the Philippines and comes from that field.

Miss Clara Galloway of Columbus, who was here for the inspection of Aldora Chapter, O. E. S., last night, was the guest while in Xenia of Mrs. Frank Shelly.

A party of Xenia women motored to Dayton Tuesday, with Miss Isadora King, in the King car, to attend the missionary convention of the Dayton Baptist Association. In the party were: Miss King, Mrs. M. J. Hartley, Mrs. Elizabeth Whittington, Mrs. Karl Babb and Miss Chapman.

RED CROSS MEETING AND THE CONCERT WILL NOT CONFLICT

In order that the Red Cross Conference session Thursday night will not conflict with the concert to be given at the First United Presbyterian church for the benefit of devastated France the time for opening the Red Cross meeting has been advanced to 7 o'clock. The concert committee has been asked to postpone the opening of the concert until 8:30. This arrangement will permit persons to attend both the conference at the opera house and the concert.

GOOD HOUSEKEEPERS USE BEST That is why they use Red Cross Ball Blue. All leading grocers, 5 cents.

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

Notice is hereby given, as provided by law, that all places where intoxicating liquors are sold shall be closed and remain closed during the election day, May 20, 1919, and that no intoxicating liquors shall be sold or given away on said day. Given under my hand and the corporate seal of the City of Xenia, Ohio, this 14th day of May, 1919.

ARTHUR WHALEN, Mayor.

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OLD COUGHS

"I never heard of anything like my cough. Could not lie down for two weeks. Prescriptions and remedies failed to help me. Then Brazilian Balm relieved me in a few hours." B. F. Ralyea, Yorkshire, N. Y.

ONLY EIGHT MORE DAYS UNTIL ETERNAL DROUGHT SETS IN

Only eight more days and then the millennium! Eight more days and the great White Way will be changed to the Arid Alley!

Only eight more days and "Here's How" will be an obsolete phrase in social history.

Only eight more days and the passing of the great equalizer, the cup that cheers, the brimming bowl, the passport to the goodfellow, the inspiration to song, life and good cheer.

Certainly, not counting Wednesday, there are nine more days on the calendar in which saloon keepers can dispense their wares, but not so here.

Election day on May 20 changes the aspect of things, causes the saloons to be closed, and minimizes the liberty of the barroom inhabitants.

Thus local saloons, closing on May 24, have but eight more days in which to operate, and the bird who likes his eye opener and his night cap, will have to draw it out of his cellar supply in the lowering the succession of the Sahara.

Daily Thought. Good manners are made up of petty sacrifice.—Emerson.

DON'T SPOIL YOUR CLOTHES. Use Red Cross Ball Blue and keep them white as snow. All grocers.

SETTLEMENT IS HIGHLY SATISFACTORY

XENIA, Ohio, May 5, 1919. Mr. M. F. Barrows General Agent The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. Steele Building, Xenia, Ohio.

Dear Sir:—I wish to thank you and your company for the prompt settlement of my Twenty Year Endowment Policy on the exact day it was due, May 5, 1919. Although it was issued for \$1,000 your company's check was for \$1,234.52, which made me about 23 per cent. on my investment free of taxes, besides giving me \$1,000.00 insurance for twenty years.

Every young man should take out all the insurance he can carry in the old reliable Penn Mutual, my only regret is that I did not have a \$10,000.00 policy.

Yours very truly, OSCO EVERT ST. JOHN. adv 5-13

ORPHIUM TO-NIGHT

"LOVE'S PRICE"

A 6 reel special attraction featuring GRACE CUNARD and an all star cast. STORY of a woman's sacrifice for her soldier sweetheart.

"THE BRASS BULLET"

In two reels featuring JUANITA HANSEN, JACK MULHALL and picked cast.

TWO—BIG FEATURES—TWO

THURSDAY NIGHT

"HEART OF GOLD"

World 5 reel drama featuring LOUISE HUFF, JOHN-NY HINES and an all star cast. STORY—What she was shy in money she made up for in brains.

"SHIP AHOY"

A two reel comedy scream featuring BILLY WEST.

TWO—BIG FEATURES—TWO

SHINOLA AMERICA'S HOME SHOE POLISH

Used by thrifty people because it Saves Time, Saves Money, Saves Shoes.

SHINOLA is beneficial to all leather.

SHINOLA HOME SET makes shining easy in home or office. BLACK-TAN-WHITE-RED-BROWN

Velvet THE FRIENDLY TOBACCO

THERE may be some things that can be done well in a hurry, but pickin' a wife an' agein' a tobacco ain't amongst 'em.

Velvet Joe

We put away millions of pounds of fine Kentucky Burley tobacco every year, stored in wooden hogsheads. It ripens two years. When we take it out it's different—Nature has improved it, good as it was—made it friendlier, more fragrant, cool-smoking, long-burning.

Nature has given it a delicious quality of mildness and fragrance that no artificial means can ever equal.

It's just that extra touch of friendly goodness that is building up VELVET Tobacco into the favor and good will of thousands of pipe smokers who prefer to smoke tobacco cured in Nature's way.

You would notice the difference.

Roll a VELVET Cigarette VELVET'S nature-aged mildness and smoothness make it just right for cigarettes.

15c

Should Have Known Him.

Robert has an uncle who takes great delight in teasing and asking questions of his little nephew every time he gets a chance. One day he asked him if he knew who George Washington was. "For mercy sakes," exclaimed Robert, "don't you know who George Washington is? Why, he's the man that invented Americans."

TO DARKEN HAIR
APPLY SAGE TEA

Look Young! Bring Back Its Natural Color, Gloss and Attractiveness.

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, streaked or gray. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound at any drug store all ready for use. This is the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.

This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

FORMER GREENE CO.
WOMAN PASSES AWAY
AT CLEVELAND HOME

Mrs. Charles Jones, former Greene Countian, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edgingfield of the Jamestown and Xenia pike, died at her home in Cleveland Monday evening. She had been ill only a little over a week suffering from pneumonia.

Mrs. Jones was born in Highland County, 34 years ago, but had moved to Greene county with her parents and lived here a number of years. She was married to Mr. Jones in 1902 and they moved away from here seven years ago, going to Connecticut and later to Cleveland where they have been making their home.

Mrs. Jones leaves her husband and two children, Gladys 11, and Mildred 6. She also leaves her parents in this county and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Nathan Stant of New Holland, Mrs. Harley Hilliard of New Jasper and Mrs. Ervin Huffman of near Xenia, and Enos Edgingfield of Hillsboro, Francis of Peebles, Grover of Xenia, Franklin of Dayton and Gerald of Yellow Springs. All five of her brothers were with her at the time of death and Mr. Huffman expects to leave for Cleveland Wednesday night. The funeral services will be held in Cleveland Thursday and burial will be made there.

Pressure later.

The pressure of water per square inch is 333 pounds per foot of head. A fathom being six feet the pressure per square inch at five fathoms would be 12-99 pounds, at ten fathoms 25.98 pounds, at fifteen fathoms 38.97 pounds, and at twenty fathoms 51.96 pounds.

Ralph Hamilton Shows "Movies" on Ceiling



This picture shows Captain R. Hayes Hamilton, of the Red Cross, Xenia boy and famous for his Travelogue Lectures before joining this great organization, operating his specially constructed moving picture machine for projecting moving pictures and stereoscopic slides on the ceiling instead of upon a perpendicular screen.

Through this method, which was devised by Captain Hamilton, bedridden patients at the Walter Reed hospital at Washington D. C., are

enabled to enjoy all the best moving pictures, while lying flat in their beds. The machine has been adopted by the Red Cross and is being used to amuse and instruct wounded soldiers and convalescents in the Army and Naval hospitals all over the country.

Captain Hamilton has been an extensive traveler, always armed with his camera, taking pictures all over the country, and local people have had several opportunities to attend his Hamilton Travelogues in this city. He uses these same pictures in stereoscopic slides in the lectures to

the soldiers, going from one ward to another, covering as many as fifteen wards each week, lecturing and showing the moving pictures on the ceilings or the walls.

Note the position of the picture on the ceiling—at first glance it appears to be upside down, but after a little study as to the position of the heads of the audience in bed, it will quickly appear that the visual or optical position of the picture is correct. The top of the picture must be toward the top of the man's head.

This picture was published recently in the Washington Evening Star.

SPRING VALLEY TP.
COMMENCEMENT HELD
ON TUESDAY EVENING

The Methodist Episcopal church at Spring Valley was thronged Tuesday evening when commencement exercises of the Spring Valley township high school were held there.

There were nine graduates, all of whom delivered excellent commencement orations. Ernest Kne, as class president, gave the opening address which he called The Foreword. He was followed by a group of three addresses on the Peace Conference. Miss Mabel Rye handled the first feature, "The Place," Robert Mendenhall took, "The Personnel," and Morris Fulkerson "The Principles." The orations were well handled, and showed a clear knowledge on the part of the young folks, of the important history making work now being accomplished by the Peace body.

Dewitt Holland's theme was "The Power of Music." Winfred Morgan handled the prohibition theme in his oration, "A New Ohio." Miss Helen Barnett gave a highly finished oration, the best rhetorical effort of the evening in her speech, "The Banners of a New Brotherhood," an after the war theme.

Miss Thelma Sollers' theme was "Retrospect and Prospect." Delmer Compton gave the valedictory, and chose for his oration theme "The Farmer of the Future."

Diplomas were presented by Miss Letitia Dillencourt, principal of the high school.

Peculiar Lawsuit.

Here is a queer cause for a law action. A man who was insane determined to throw himself out of the window of an asylum. He made several attempts and was prevented by the servants. Put in a new apartment, he tried again, jumped out of the window, fell on the lawn and injured himself seriously, but, strange to say, the shock cured his mental disorder. At once he sued the officers of the asylum for negligence. The plaintiff was nonsuited.

Can't Stop Him.

A man will surmount all obstacles when he shows a natural tendency to make a fool of himself.

False Teeth Held
Firmly in Place

By **COREGA**
Prevents Sore Gums
Promotes Mouth Hygiene
Brings Health and Comfort
Sayre & Hemphill
8 S. Detroit St.

NEW VENIRE CALLED
IN THE FORD CASE

Mount Clemens, Mich., May 14—A new venire was on hand at the call of Judge Tucker today as the interrogation of prospective jurors continued to get 12 men to serve on the jury in the Ford-Tribune million dollar libel suit.

The same 12 who underwent a barrage of questions from counsel on both sides yesterday are being held and are still subject to challenge. Some, however, are due to be released today, it is believed.

Counsel for the defense yesterday won its first tilt when Attorney Stevenson was permitted by the court to define "anarchy" and "anarchism" over the vigorous protests of Ford's counsel. The defense announced they will attempt to prove that in a sense Ford is an anarchist and read numerous definitions of the word from United States supreme court cases.

WOMAN AT BOTTOM
OF IT AS USUAL

It was a woman who caused the great war, and the secret was disclosed last night at the Harvard Unit of New York War Camp Community Service, where two members of the "Old Fifteenth" got into an argument about the causes of the conflict.

"Doan you know who started this yere war?" one asked.

"Shuh; I reckon the Kaiser did," answered the other.

"Kaiser!" retorted the first in scorn. I done got inside information about dat, and I found out de war started about a woman, just like all de other wars. Yessah, my captain says so dis morning. He says; 'Dis yere war was started all on account of Alice Lorraine!' Corse, I dumb who Miss Lorraine is, but I know she's de lady what made all the trouble." Exchange.

LUMBERTON

Children's meeting will be held at the church here Sunday night, June the 1st.

Mr. George Bradshaw and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milt Fields.

Mr. Westerfield, of Columbus, gave an illustrated lecture at the church Sunday night, which was largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnhart and daughters, Ada and Edith, and Mr. Ernest Linkhart, of Dayton, were the Sunday guests of Mr. H. C. Linkhart and family.

Mrs. Eliza Smith is improving slowly.

There will be a lecture given by Mr. Huntington in the church Thursday night. Refreshments served in the basement. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Lewis entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. Charles Diaboli and family of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. David Linkhart and daughter Arthella, and Mr. Elmer Lewis and family.

CHARGES BROTHER
WITH STEALING FROM
THE GOULD ESTATE

New York, May 14—Arguments in the suit of Frank J. Gould to remove his brother, George Gould, from management of the Gould estate, were continued in supreme court here today, following charges yesterday by lawyers for Frank Gould that George Gould had "stolen money" from the estate.

A sale of Western Union Stock belonging to the Duchess De Talleyrand (Anna Gould) and Frank Gould, it was alleged, netted a large sum for George Gould, which, it was declared he retained until forced by threats of a suit to return it to the estate. Other transactions allegedly questionable were referred to.

Washing Oysters.
"Old songs, old books, old friends"—and old methods of agitating oysters. Specialists of the bureau of chemistry, United States department of agriculture, have determined that oysters soaked up a great deal more water and lose much more in nutrients when washed by the new air blast and mechanical device method than when washed by the old method, on a skimmer with a hose and paddle.

Don't Meet Them Often.
"Is it always the husband's fault?" asks a magazine advertisement. Well, of course, there are some things with which husband never had anything to do. But they are rare.—Kansas City Star.

THORB CHARTERS
JEWELER

44 East Main Street

L. A. WAGNER
OPTOMETRISTStorage Battery
SERVICE STATION

Recharging, Repairing, and a complete line of rentals. New batteries in stock.

Central Garage and
Central Taxi.

BOTH PHONES

SOLDIER COMMITTEE
WILL CONDUCT DRIVE
FOR SALVATION ARMY

Greene County's Salvation Army Campaign was given its start in Xenia Monday and Tuesday when Clarence Kutzlin, advance campaign man, visited this city and organized a staff to take care of the campaign.

Stephen G. Phillips will act as Greene County Chairman, Mrs. Carrie Geyer will be secretary and Erskine Winter, treasurer. Raymond A. Higgins will be publicity manager for the campaign which will be conducted from May 19 to May 26.

Although the Salvation Army is one of the worthiest organizations that did overseas work with the soldiers, and its praises have been sung far and wide, especially by the returned soldier boy, it is asking less to carry on its war work than any other organization that has appealed to the public and the Greene County quota is only \$5,000.

In fact so small has been the individual quotas of counties that in the majority of counties throughout the state, there has been no campaign necessary, the money being taken out of the War Chests. Greene county is one of the counties that has no War Chest and which will have to campaign for the fund.

In a recent communication to the commander general of the Salvation Army, General Pershing delivered his thanks for the work done in France by the organization and praised in glowing terms the organization that made one of the biggest hits with the lads in the trenches. The hot coffee and doughnut girls have endeared themselves to the A. E. F., and wherever there are soldiers from overseas this worthy organization will not get for lack of money.

It is hoped that the campaign will start off with a rush and that Greene county will show its appreciation for the Salvation Army by pushing the old county over the top in the early part of the campaign.

Deservedly Valuable Pen.

One of the best-known pens in the United States is owned by Isaac B. Reed of New York, who at one time refused to sell it for \$750. Its value arises from the fact that, aside from having been used by both Lincoln and Grant, it was made from a carved box in which young George Washington kept parts of his surveying instruments. The box itself was made from the lid of a desk that belonged to the captain of the Mayflower.

Oliver Six Shovel
pin brake Cultivator

As good as new. For Sale. Bargain.

GREENE COUNTY
HARDWARE CO.MILK DISTRIBUTION
TIED UP IN CHICAGO

Chicago, May 14.—Milk distribution was tied up here today following a strike of 2,800 milk wagon drivers. Seven hundred drivers who were still working at an early hour were expected to join the strikers later.

Refusal of the milk dealers to sign a new wage agreement, in which the drivers demanded \$35 weekly and commissions in place of the present compensation of \$26 and commissions, precipitated the walkout.

Plodders Have Their Uses.

It is the men who have had vision who have moved the world forward. The rest of us are plodders. We are good plodders and we all do the best we can, but we are really followers in the footsteps of others. If we follow well, and if we plod patiently and tirelessly we also may claim our meed of praise. Also we shall surely be given our reward.—Exchange.

Faults.

Do not think of your faults; still less of others' faults; in every person who comes near you, look for what is good and strong; honor that; rejoice in it, and as you can, try to imitate it; and your faults will drop off like dead leaves, when their time comes.—Ruskin.

We Have MONEY To
Loan

On Household Goods, Pianos, Live Stock, Etc., \$25 to \$400. Loans made to farmers on straight time.

Springfield Loan Co.

Agent in Office
Thursday of Each Week
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All Wool
SPRING SUITINGS

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C. A. WEAVER
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CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. No other. Beware of cheap imitations. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Oil Companies in Butler County Oil
Fields Have Paid Over 100% in
Less Than 6 Months.

WHY?

Because they have had a small capitalization and have actually drilled wells. How many dry holes have you heard of in Butler County?

7 Out of Every 10 Wells Drilled PRODUCE

HOFFSTOT OIL AND GAS COMPANY
7022 Hamilton Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Own the lease on the Turner Farm at Parkers Landing in Butler County, and we are going to drill ten wells for Oil and Gas. The company is selling \$32,000.00, or 3,200 shares of common stock (no bonds, no preferred stock) and are offering to the public at par (\$10.00) per share, 1,000 shares of stock in this company.

FIGURE FOR YOURSELF

The following is approximately correct:
The cost of 1 well, \$3,000.00; the cost of 10 wells to drill, \$30,000.00. Total shares to be sold 3,200 or \$32,000.00, \$2,000 over for contingencies.

If we only get 50 bbls. of oil a day at \$4.00 per bbl., 365 days—(1 year)—we have a gross earning of \$73,000.00; take 1-8 out for royalties, or \$9,125.00, leaving a net earning of \$63,875.00, or approximately 98 per cent after deducting all overhead expenses.

THINK OF IT

Eight per cent per month instead of 4 to 8 per cent a year. We are selling this stock fast. First come first served. The cost is small the possibilities worth a great deal more than \$32,000.00. Drilling is being done by Mr. Edward Barnes of Harrisville, Pa., considered by all big oil companies as one of the oldest and best oil-well drillers in Butler County.

GET YOUR CHECK IN TODAY AND AVOID OVERSUBSCRIPTION

C. S. HOFFSTOT, President. A. D. COMFORT, Sec. and Treas.

HOFFSTOT OIL & GAS CO.,
7022 HAMILTON AVENUE,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

Please enter my subscription for.....Shares of Fully Paid and Non-Assessable Stock at \$10.00 (Par Value) and issue certificate in the name of

(Please print your name)

and check for (Part) (Full) Payment therefor enclosed.

Name.....

Address.....

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The legal matters in connection with this issue have been passed upon by Mr. George W. Flowers, 719 Frick Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

It will do you good
to know that others

TAKE
PEPSINCO

In the sale of PEPSINCO we know of course that advertising pays, but in this sense, it's not the advertising which we buy in this newspaper, but the advertising which satisfied users of PEP-SINCO give us through their sincere and immediate recommendation of PEPSINCO to others. No remedy in our entire stock, for the purpose seems to give such universal satisfaction as PEPSINCO and this, whether it is taken for simple case of gas, belching, chronic indigestion or acute dyspepsia. You can safely put your trust in PEP-SINCO complete faith that it will not fail you.

Ask your druggist—he sells and recommends Pepsinco.

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CINCINNATI'S RAILWAY VALUE ENOUGH TO PAY CITY DEBT.

Here is an instance of municipal ownership which appears to be a pretty good investment for the city. Cincinnati now has operated the Cincinnati Southern Railway for fifty years. The city built the road in self-defense, to prevent Louisville withholding trade in the southeastern states that are logically Cincinnati's markets. Previous to the building of the municipal road, the Louisville and Nashville Railroad was the only common carrier available. For a long time Cincinnati had to station an agent in Louisville to see that cars of freight were handled promptly in and out of that terminal, as it was necessary to route all freight through Louisville. That city, of course, tried to stifle the Cincinnati business interests.

In order to build the road it was necessary to have the Ohio Legislature amend the constitution to permit the city to finance and construct the road. The law was amended May 4, 1869. Similar action had to be taken with the Kentucky and Tennessee Legislatures, and right-of-way had to be gained through each county of the two states traversed.

In these days of high-priced railroad materials, labor and other items, the railroad was constructed cheaply. The first appropriation was for \$10,000,000 at 7.33 per cent per annum and three years later it was found necessary to raise an additional \$6,000,000. This was followed by another appropriation of \$2,000,000, making \$18,000,000 to construct a road 338 miles in length from Cincinnati to Chattanooga.

It is estimated by municipal experts that the road, as it stands today, is worth \$75,000,000, and to this ownership of the railroad is attributed the strong position of the city of Cincinnati in the financial world. The road could be sold and pay off all the entire indebtedness of the city. The city has the road leased to the Southern Railway until 1966. Today the lease brings in the city each year \$1,100,000, which pays the annual interest and leaves \$600,000 to be applied to the general interest account of the city.

Southern trade that belongs to the city has been saved by the road, which enabled Cincinnati merchants to place their goods in the territory that rightfully belonged to the city.

THE THOROUGHbred CLUB.

Membership unlimited. Dues no dollars a year. Club House: Wherever I happen to be.

Thoroughbred Code—I believe in work. For discontent and labor are not often companions. I believe in leisure and in play. For neither mental nor physical development is possible without them. I believe in thrift. For to store up a little, regularly, is to store up character as well. I believe in simple living. For simplicity means health and health means happiness. I believe in loyalty. For if I am not true to others I can not be true to myself. I believe in a cheerful countenance. For a sour face is the sign of a grouch. I believe in holding up my chin. For self-respect commands respect from others. I believe in keeping up my courage. For troubles flee before a brave front. I believe in bracing up my brother. For an encouraging word may save the day for him. I believe in living up to the best that is in me. For to lower the standard is to give up the fight.

Thoroughbred Pledge—These beliefs I shall keep always with me. And I shall strive to live up to them. For to do so is to be a THOROUGHbred.

Timidity a Handicap.
A great deal of talent is lost to the world for want of a little courage. Every day sends to their graves a number of obscure men who have only remained in obscurity because their timidity has prevented them from making the first effort.—Sydney Smith.

THE PROMOTER'S WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS.

BAB IS HEARTBROKEN BECAUSE NEIL HAS BEEN DRINKING.

CHAPTER LXXXVII.

All my time was spent with Mrs. Carter, but I soon dismissed any idea I might have had for giving any sort of large affairs for her. I contented myself with two or three small dinners, and by taking her to the theater and driving. Neil was at home very little, scarcely more often than before she came. I could see that it was at times an effort for him to concentrate his mind upon what either of us were saying, and I worried accordingly.

I begged him to tell me what he was doing that he could not be more at home, could not give his aunt the attention it seemed his respect for her demanded. He only shrugged and asked me not to annoy him.

"I have all I can take care of without listening to your reproaches," he said. "I am putting over—trying to rather—a big deal. I can't be worried about Aunt having a good time. You surely should be able to entertain her; her ideas are very simple. It isn't that Neil. She is your aunt, I know. But I am fond of her, and I imagine she feels hurt because you aren't with us more."

"Nonsense!—if you want to bring her down town to the Lawyers Club for luncheon tomorrow you may. Then you can plan for a matinee or something afterward."

"That will be nice. I am sure she will be pleased to lunch there. I know I always am. We will take Robert for a drive in the park first. She simply refuses to be separated from him and he from her. She told me yesterday that she never thought she could become so fond of a child as she had of him."

"He's a great kid."
"You don't half know how cunning he is, you see so little of him. He is way ahead of his classes; his teacher told me last week she had to hold him back, that he was almost too bright for his age. He speaks French wonderfully well, his accent is much better than mine. I wish mother had made me learn languages when I was his age instead of waiting until I was almost a young lady."

"Yes, you can't commence too early," Neil answered but absent-mindedly. That was the way he was now. His mind did not seem to be upon anything I said for more than a moment or two. I longed to beg him to talk to me, to tell me of his work, but did not. When he was trying to float one of his schemes he was impatient, nervous, and unlike himself. There was one thing he had done, rather left undone since his aunt came. Not once had I seen him take a drink, neither had I detected it on his breath. She was absolutely opposed to liquor in any form, and I knew it would pain her greatly should she know that Neil resorted to it, even when worn out nervously; or when in company with men who habitually indulged.

Then one night he came home more nearly drunk than I ever had seen him. It had happened two days before he had proposed we lunch down town with him. He had not come home to dinner, had not come in until about midnight. Fortunately his aunt had just gone to her room. He was noisy and quarrelsome. I had a bad half hour with him. I was so afraid she would hear him and come down to see what the matter was. Finally I got him to bed, and he soon was sleeping. I was almost heart-broken. I never had become accustomed to his taking liquor, even ever so little. And to see him in such a maudlin or quarrelsome condition was degrading for him, and for me.

In the morning he had been very penitent. Had called me a "good girl" because I had kept it from his aunt and from the servants. And had given me his solemn promise never to offend to such an extent again.

"If I do I won't come home," he had added.
"But I fear rather you would come home than to let others see you in that condition," I returned. "It is bad enough for me to know it. I should be ashamed indeed if it were publicly known that you could so far forget yourself as to drink too much."

"You make mountains out of mole hills, Bab. But don't look so serious. I have promised, haven't I?"
"Yes, dear." But somehow I hadn't the faith in his promises I used to have. But I wouldn't let him see it. Tomorrow — Frederick Refuses to Consider a Business Proposition.

ARABIAN LEADER IS PEACE DELEGATE



S. A. L'Emire Feisal.

S. A. L'Emire Feisal is one of the younger sons of the king of Arabia. He is the general of the Arabian army and the principal leader of his people. He is a delegate to the peace conference.

EAST END NEWS

This coming Sabbath, all day will be rally day, at the First S. M. E. church. The membership are putting forth a special effort to raise \$150 to be paid on the bonded debt of this church. We solicit the presence and help of the public, all day.

We, the family desire to return sincere thanks to all those who assisted us in any way during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Polly Grievous; we appreciate the kind and consoling remarks of Rev. Allen and Rev. Howe and we wish especially to thank the Xenia Stemmy and Mrs. C. A. Weaver for the flowers they sent. We are very grateful to Mr. Anderson Garrett.

At the regular meeting of Daniels Post No. 300, G. A. R., it was decided to hold the annual memorial services on Sunday, May 25, at Middle Run Baptist church. It will also be the annual sermon of Charles Young Camp No. 15, U. L. W. V. All members of the Relief Corps and honorably discharged soldiers are invited to participate in the services. There will be a grand procession to the church, led by Craig's new band. It is also planned to have one of the biggest Memorial Day parades in the history of the Post and Camp. An invitation has been extended to the cadets of the R. O. T. C. at Wilberforce and all World War Veterans. Fraternal orders of Xenia are also requested to join in and make the day one long to be remembered. The committee in charge is making every effort to have a large and representative celebration.

On Friday, May 16, the East High Debating Society will debate the Jamestown High on the question "Resolved That the Government Should own and Operate the Railroads." The debate promises to be the most interesting of all features of the season. Those who will represent East High are Lorenzo Harris, James Logan and Clarence Smith. The debate will be held at Zion Baptist Church at 8 o'clock.

Tempted.

"I have never been what you might call a lover of hoss flesh," remarked the facetious feller, "but dern if I won't be tempted to try it if it's any cheaper."

Bobby says—
I've been comparing corn flakes, and for me an' mine, give me
POST TOASTLES

PRETTY AFFAIR FOR MISS BABB

Miss Esther Babb, who will be a bride of this week, was honor guest Monday evening, when the Misses Hortense Morgan and Edna Davis entertained for her pleasure at the home of Miss Morgan on Maple street.

Sixteen girls were the guests, and they spent a very merry evening. Miss Hazel Ledbetter was fortunate enough to win the prize offered in a contest, a cut glass vase. In the dining room, where refreshments were served, the table was in pink and white, lighted with pink candles and centered by a cake, on which stood a Kewpie bride.

Miss Babb's marriage to Grover Crawford will take place Wednesday evening.

Bible's Place in the World.

Bacon furnishes more than seventy allusions to the Bible in twenty-four of his essays. Addison, Johnson, Pope, Young, Browning, Tennyson, abound in Scripture. "For more than 1,000 years," says Coleridge, "the Bible, taken collectively, has gone hand in hand with civilization, science, law—in short, with the moral and intellectual cultivation of the species, always supporting and often leading the way."

She Almost Started a Fad.

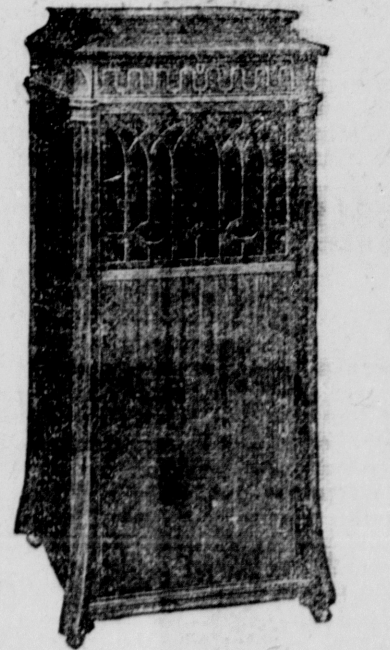
A girl who selected two earrings from different sets yesterday morning when dressing hurriedly, was suspected of introducing a new fad. She was unconscious of the attention she attracted and did not realize that heads of her neighbors in church were turned and twisted to get a "close-up" of her jewels until she reached home. A glance in her mirror told her that she was the object of interest in her pew, for a huge pearl blossomed in one ear and a brilliant blue pendant hung from the lobe of the other.—Worcester Evening Post.

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ROSS TOWNSHIP SCHOOL NEWS

Our schools will close Friday, May 23. The morning program will begin at 10 a. m. Short program by each room of the grades.

The eighth grade commencement will be in charge of Loren A. Rogers, who has prepared a splendid program, consisting of song, orations and a May Day drill. At noon, a basket dinner as usual.

The afternoon will be given over to athletics. Contests by each room, and a ball game between the Regulars and their dads.

Next Saturday night, 8 p. m., the Seniors will present "Mrs. Tabbs Does Her Bit." Pearl J. Wilding, graduate of the King's School of Orator, coach. She teaches the play and presents it in one week.

Can it be done? Come and see. A. B. Little has a fine new, 8 cylinder Oldsmobile.

Supt. Ellis and wife gave a reception in honor of the Seniors and their teachers, on last Tuesday evening. The Seniors, teachers and a few other friends met and spent a very enjoyable evening, playing games and working out puzzles. After refreshments were served, all gathered

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COURT NEWS

Judge Clevenger of Wilmington, who heard the case of the city against H. E. Schmidt for violation of the awning and sidewalk ordinances in common pleas court several weeks ago, has not yet rendered a decision. The Clinton county jurist is expected to be here shortly to render an oral opinion in the Schmidt case, and to transact some other business in the local court. Mr. Schmidt was arrested and fined in police court, and the case was taken by him to the court of common pleas.

Anna Mansfield has entered suit for divorce from James E. Mansfield, to whom she was married March 20, 1914. She alleges extreme cruelty, and abandonment, and asks for custody of the child, Paul Edward. Judge Kyle granted a temporary restraining order preventing him from interfering with the plaintiff or the child.

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PORT WILLIAM

Miss Elizabeth Benca is on the sick list.

Joe Burnett has received his discharge and returned home Saturday from Camp Sherman.

William Thorpe of Chillicothe spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Meacie Thorpe.

Herschel and Clarence Sanders spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders. Charlie Devoe and family visited with Raymond Earley and family of near Jamestown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowald of Wilmington, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Henry Kersey and wife. Rev. John K. Howell attended the Theological Seminary commencement in Xenia, the first of last week, and later attended quarterly meeting in Waynesville.

Mrs. Sallie Hawthorne has returned home from Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper L. Devoe delightfully entertained the following guests at their home, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Morris Simms of Xenia; Mr. John Riley of Spring Valley; Mr. and Mrs. William Faulkner; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gotherman; Joe Burnett; Misses Ethel Woods, Goldia Faulkner, Kenneth Wilt and Troy Sherwood.

Charles Casey, who belongs to the army, was a recent visitor of Thomas Fahey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Conklin of Dayton visited relatives and friends here last week.

Dr. Senseman attended the State Medical Association convention Wednesday and Thursday, in Columbus.

Jesse Borton arrived home Tuesday from overseas, having been in the service several months. Mr. Borton volunteered during the early part of the war.

Orlando and Traverse Linkhart spent the past week with their grandparents, George B. Earley and wife, of Jamestown.

Miss Goldie Faulkner entertained the following guests last Sunday: Miss Daryl Wilt and Mr. Kenneth Wilt of Jeffersonville; Mr. Earl Ritenour of Jamestown; Misses Tessie Smith and Vesta Stotler and Troy Sherwood of Bowersville; Miss Ethel Woods and Mr. Lynn Woods of this place.

JAMESTOWN

On Sunday, Mr. Horace Burr was very pleasantly reminded that he was passing another milestone in the journey of life, by his relatives, the number of 75, coming with well-filled baskets to help him celebrate his anniversary. Thus the day was an enjoyable one.

The Rev. Willis A. Cooper will give the baccalaureate address to the class of '19 of the Jamestown High School, on Sunday evening, the 18th. All the churches will attend this service.

Mr. Milton Christy and family spent Sunday with friends in Bowersville.

Optimistic Thought.

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XENIA METHODIST CHURCHES PLAN FOR A GREAT DAY

The two Methodist Churches of Xenia expect to make next Sunday the greatest day in their history for world-wide work. That day will be the greatest missionary day in the history of American Methodism, if not in the history of the Christian church, for on that day Methodism is coming over and in an mission day will call upon the Methodist people and their friends to make their Centenary offering of \$115,000,000.

The call has already been made in the local churches for their quotas in young people who will consecrate their lives to the ministry and missionary work that the great missionary program of the Centenary may be achieved. There has been a hearty response by the young people, the young men and women and some of the younger people offering their lives to this service. On one evening at First Church four young men were licensed to preach the gospel, and at Trinity Church, when the pastor made the call to the young people to come to the altar to offer their lives for service wherever God should want them and in whatever form of service He should will for them the congregation arose and stood while the young people came down the aisles of the church to the altar and knelt for their consecration. No such service of tears and prayers among the people of Trinity Church had been witnessed by the pastor in his six years of ministry in Xenia as was manifested that morning. Now the members and friends of the two churches are going to back up these young people with their money consecrated to God. Already there has been a hearty response to the call that the pastors have made to their people to join the prayer-league and the other's league. This week the ladies of Trinity Church are visiting all the homes of the church, enlisting all who will volunteer in these two forms of home service.

Monday evening the Centenary Committee of Trinity Church met at the parsonage to complete the plans for the Sunday service and the every member financial canvass. Of this organization Mr. Frank Fristoe is chairman and Mr. George Stokes secretary. There will be five teams to conduct the canvass in Trinity Church, two teams of ladies and three of men. Mrs. William Wilson and Mrs. Charles D. Snider are the captains of the ladies' teams and Mr. S. M. McKay, Mr. J. A. Beatty and Mr. E. D. Smith of the men's teams. At this meeting members for all these teams were chosen and the plan made for the Sunday canvass. Both Methodist churches will follow the same plan in the morning service, the plan being as follows: All the people who are at the church service will be given the opportunity to make their pledges at the church. After a brief service, the people will be asked to go by families to the Sunday school class-room where their names and pledge cards will be found, each captain of a team being in charge of a class-room. The captain and representatives of the team will assist in making the pledges for the family. With five or more teams working in separate rooms, all pledges can be taken in a short time. Every member of the two churches will be thus given an opportunity to come to church and make his or her pledge voluntarily. All friends will have the same opportunity. In the afternoon the teams of the two churches will go out and see all who were not at church in the morning. Every one will be given a chance to help—for every one will be seen before the canvass closes. The pastors are agreed on the plan for next Sunday as here outlined and all members and friends of the two Methodist churches are urged to come to the church and make their pledges. It will show the right spirit of consecration on their part, and save the workers time, labor and delay. Plan for next Sunday now.

Everyday Etiquette

"What should a bride say when congratulations are extended to her?" asked Mona.

"When congratulations are extended to the bride and groom, there should be a dignified acceptance and the bride should introduce her husband to her friends," answered her friend.

To Keep Young.

The great enemy of youthfulness is the drying-up process, and this is why we should not only keep as much as possible with the young, but should enter into their joys, their plays, with zest and enthusiasm. We should romp and play with them, interest ourselves in the things that delight them, instead of pushing children away from us and restraining them all the time, regarding them as a nuisance and a bore. Children were given us to keep us youthful, to keep our sympathies fresh.

Question of Newness.

Jack's father was much older than his mother. The disparity in their ages was noticed by the boy, for one day he asked: "You are a good deal newer than father, aren't you, mother?"

WOMAN'S COMMITTEE PUTS QUOTA ACROSS

The Woman's Liberty Loan Committee of Greene County, with Mrs. Eber Reynolds, chairman, went over the top in its quota for the Victory Loan.

Total subscriptions taken by the women workers amounted to \$151,400, according to an announcement made by Mrs. Reynolds today.

The quota was secured without a house-to-house canvass being made, but this step would have been taken, had it been considered necessary for the women to sell their quota of bonds.

Mrs. Reynolds called the chairmen together Saturday at 1 o'clock, reviewed the work and offered to secure automobiles for them if they thought a house-to-house canvass should be made. At that time the securing of the quota assigned the women seemed certain, and it was decided that the canvass would not be necessary.

That the women worked hard to sell the bonds is shown by the result of their efforts. They did their part equally well in each of the previous war loans, and deserve credit for their efforts to help Greene county secure its quota of subscriptions.

CLIFTON

Dr. D. E. Spahr of Xenia spent Tuesday here.

The U. P. parsonage was the scene of a wedding last Tuesday evening, when Mr. Fred Wright and Miss Ruth Linson were united in marriage by the Rev. E. G. McKibben.

Mr. Clayton Mills, blacksmith, attended the funeral of his father, Henry Mills, at Yellow Springs, last week.

The old Provost property, containing an acre of land, was sold last Saturday to the Clifton Cemetery Trustees, and will be used as an addition to the cemetery.

Mr. Richard Sparrow celebrated his 75th birthday anniversary last Saturday, with a dinner, at which were present all his children, grandchildren.

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ren and great-grandchildren, with the exception of Dr. and Mrs. Jerry Lee Hopping and Jerry Lee, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga. It was a most happy occasion. Those present were his son, Mr. Clinton Sparrow, his wife, son and daughters, Helen, Alice and Charlotte, who motored from Dayton for the day; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hopping and baby daughter, also of Dayton; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Todd of Springfield; Mr. Lewis Tindall and children of Cedarville; Mr. Arthur Hopping, also of Cedarville; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hopping and Mr. George Bert Hopping of Clifton.

William Murnahan has returned from Camp Dix, New Jersey, where he received his honorable discharge. He saw eight months of overseas service.

The public school will close Friday, May 16th, with appropriate exercises. There will be no graduating class this year, so there will be no commencement.



Watch the Little Pimples; They are Nature's Warning

Unsightly and Disfiguring Signs of Bad Blood.

Don't close your eyes to the warning which nature gives, when unsightly pimples appear on your face and other parts of the body.

Not only are these pimples and blotches disfiguring, but they lead to serious skin diseases that spread and cause the most discomforting irritation and pain. Sometimes they foretell Eczema, boils, blisters, scaly eruptions and other annoyances that burn like flames of fire, and make you feel that your skin is ablaze.

When these symptoms appear on any

part of the body, take prompt steps to rid the blood of these disorders. And the one remedy which has no equal as a purifier is S. S. S., the purely vegetable blood medicine, which has been on the market for more than fifty years. It is sold by druggists everywhere.

If you are afflicted with any form of skin disease, do not expect to be cured by lotions, ointments, salves and other local remedies, as they can not possibly reach the source of the trouble, which is in the blood. Begin taking S. S. S. today, and write a complete history of your case to our chief medical adviser who will give you special instructions, without charge. Write at once to Swift Specific Co., 260 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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JOHN SWIGART DIES AT AGE OF 95 YEARS

John Swigart, aged inmate of the County Infirmary, died at that institution Tuesday evening, at 6:30 o'clock. Death was due to the infirmities of old age.

Mr. Swigart was a nonagenarian, having been born June 10, 1823, and was thus 95 years and 11 months of age. His wife died a number of years ago and he has no near relatives surviving in the county, excepting a few cousins. He made his home on the Charles Ankeney place up until March, since when he has been in the infirmary.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, at the Pisgah church cemetery, a mile and a half north of Zimmerman.

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It is time to be temperate in all things. The man or woman with impaired nerves caused by impoverished blood lacks vigor, the ambition, the endurance and the keen mind of those who avoid excesses.

Timidity, despondency, fear, trembling hands, want of confidence and even cowardliness, are due in a large measure to abused nerves.

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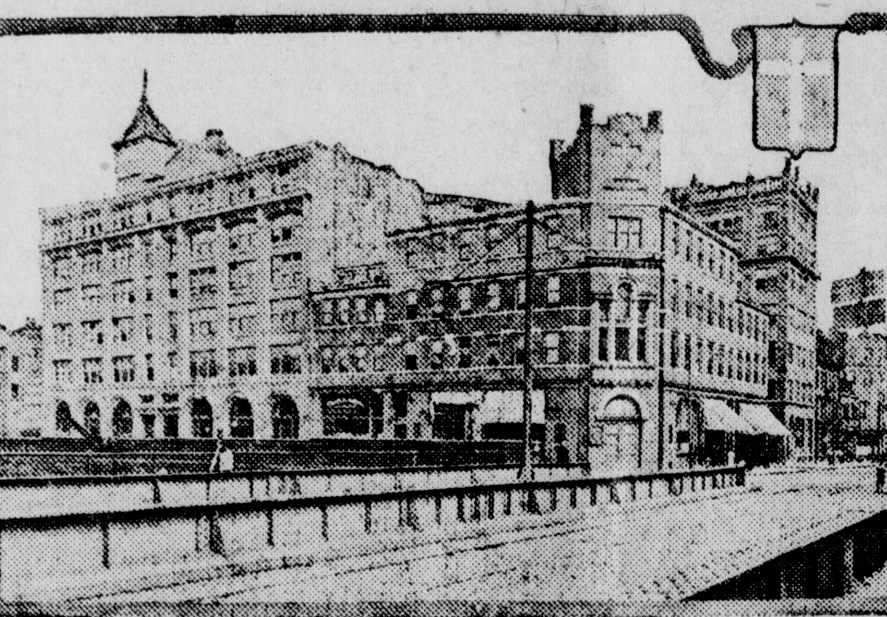
To become strong and ambitious, to feel that work is not drudgery; to have steady nerves, abundance of red blood and power of endurance; to be not only a man but as men now go, a superman, you must take seven tablets of Bio-Teren every day for seven days—and take them faithfully.

Take two after each meal and one at bedtime and after seven days take one only after meal until the supply is exhausted.

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Bio-Teren is without doubt the greatest remedy for nervous, rundown, weak, anaemic men and women ever offered direct through druggists and is not at all expensive. Sayre & Hemphill and all other druggists in this city and vicinity have a supply on hand—sell many packages.

METHODIST CENTENARY PLANS TO MEET CITY RELIGIOUS PROBLEMS



MORGAN MEMORIAL CHURCH, BOSTON.

THE United States has become a nation of big cities, where the currents of life flow most swiftly and mingle most readily. Only a Christian Americanism can withstand the swirling maelstrom of the ideas and ideals which have wrecked nations in other lands. Life becomes very complex in the crowded cities—the old type neighborhood and community life displaced, the home suffers most. The congestion of population increases and American citizens give way to the foreigner.

It has been a sad commentary on American religious life that the downtown city church, instead of adapting itself to the new problems, moves away from them. The need is greater for religious and civic education than ever before, but the churches have not been meeting the problems.

One of the objectives of the Methodist Missionary Centenary is to establish modern downtown religious plants of an institutional and industrial nature which will correct this defect. The program for work in the Cincinnati Area includes work of this character in Cleveland, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville, Ky., and other places. Of the \$115,000,000 for which a canvass will be made May 18-25 no small part will be devoted to this important work in the home field.

The picture above is of Morgan Memorial Church in Boston, which stands as one of the greatest modern city churches. In this church fifteen hundred children of twenty-five nationalities are taken care of every day; men are placed upon their feet by industrial work; children and parents are both reached by forms of activities which they recognize and welcome, and meanwhile the way is paved for religious work in such a way as the old form of church never realized. Such churches as these have a vital part in the Americanization of our modern cities.

THEATERS

BIJOU

The farmboy characters of Charles Ray, will live forever in the history of American screendom. It is a fact that Mr. Ray is peculiarly adapted to this sort of role, and he has done his best work in pictures which show him following the simple life. An example of this is "String Beans," which will be shown at the Bijou Theater Thursday night under Paramount chaperoning.

A country boy and later a small town newspaper man affords Mr. Ray with a splendid vehicle for his wonderful character acting and personality. The picture has become to be one of the most popular of his offerings. Besides Mr. Ray there are Jane Novak, John P. Lockney, Donald McDonald, Al Filson and Otto Hoffman in the cast.

ORPHIUM

Louise Huff and Johnny Hines form the interesting World-Pictures combination which will appear in a clever vehicle "Heart of Gold" at the Orphium Theater Thursday night.

The picture offers a splendid vehicle for this popular pair who have accomplished some excellent work in the production. Miss Huff and Mr. Hines have appeared in a number of pictures here and need no introduction to local fans. Supporting them this time are Grace Barton, Marion Barney, Robert Fischer, Anthony Merlo, William Williams, Leggy Vaughan and Louis Rheinhardt.

Optimistic Thought.

The greatness of a state does not depend upon the number of its square miles.

BEFORE OR AFTER INFLUENZA

By Dr. M. Cook

The cool fighter always wins and so there is no need to become panic-stricken. Avoid fear and crowds. Exercise in the fresh air and practise the three C's: a Clean Mouth, a Clean Skin and Clean Bowels. To carry off the poisons that accumulate within the body and to ward off an attack of the influenza bacillus, take a good liver regulator to move the bowels, such as Castor Oil or a pill made up of May-apple, leaves of aloe and root of jalap, to be had at any drug store, and called Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

The system should be built up by the use of a good iron tonic, such as "Frolic" tablets, to be obtained at some drug stores, or that well known blood-maker and herbal tonic made from roots and barks of forest trees—sold everywhere as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

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DELEGATES FROM 11 COUNTIES ARE COMING TO XENIA

The regional conference on the future of the Red Cross Home Service, which is to be held in this city, Thursday and Friday of this week, under the direction of the Lake Division of the Red Cross, will attract delegates and persons interested in Red Cross work from 11 counties in Southern Ohio.

The conference will open Thursday at 10 o'clock, in the opera house, and close Friday afternoon.

The general topic for the opening session will be, "Getting Home Service Firmly Established." Under this head will be discussed, 1, "How to Get Home Service Effectively Organized," and 2, a general discussion and exchange of suggestions and experience in organizing and promoting Home Service.

The meeting will adjourn for luncheon at 12:15, and at 2 o'clock will reconvene. The afternoon session will be devoted to "Present Day Tasks of Home Service," involving continued service to the families of enlisted men.

The evening service, which will open at 7:30 will be devoted to a consideration of "The Future of Home Service," and "Contribution of the Home Service Program." "Reconstructing and Re-educating of the Crippled and Disabled Man."

"Home Service and the Community" is the topic for the afternoon session the second day. Matters to be discussed will be: How to Cooperate with the State Agencies and Other Agencies of the Community, and Interchapter and Inter-Community Relationships.

"When the Men Come Home," and "Demobilization Problems," taking up the re-establishing and re-employment of the enlisted man, will be the subject for the Friday afternoon session.

The general public is invited very cordially to attend all the meetings, and it is hoped there will be a large attendance of local people, not only for the purpose of showing the interest which the community takes in the conference, but in order that this community will become acquainted with and be alive to the after war needs which the Red Cross is trying to meet.

Speakers on the various subjects will be: Miss Caroline Benham, who has been in charge of Home Service work in Chillicothe. Her subject will be, "Chapter Responsibility." Miss Eva B. Sage, field supervisor of the Department of Civilian Relief of the Lake Division, who has recently attended a month's conference in Philadelphia, will speak on "The Use of Community Organizations."

Mr. Bondy, assistant in the Department of After-Care, will speak on "The Civil Rights Act," and "Re-establishing the Returned Enlisted Man." Mr. Hornung will speak Thursday evening on "The Camp Work in Chillicothe." Dr. C. L. Minot of Springfield, will speak the same evening on "The Future Red Cross Home Service."

Mrs. Harrison Ewing, division director of Junior Red Cross work will be in Xenia Thursday, and will be glad to meet all those interested in that department.

This conference will be one of the most important meetings held by the Red Cross in Ohio since the close of the war, and it will bring together representatives from chapters all over the state.

INQUESTS WILL BE HELD REGARDING TWO ACCIDENTAL DEATHS

Coroner R. L. Haines will hold inquests Friday, May 23, regarding two accidental deaths which occurred in the city within the last week.

Subpoenas have been issued for 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when the coroner will probe the circumstances surrounding the death of William Schauder, sr., of Dayton, who was killed when the automobile truck in which he was riding with his son, William Schauder, Jr., was struck by a Pennsylvania passenger train at the Market street crossing last Sunday afternoon.

At 1 o'clock in the afternoon the coroner's hearing regarding the death of Neil Shaw, killed when he was struck by an automobile driven by Thomas Andrew of the Federal pike on East Main street, will be held.

Sympathy.

Sympathy can people our life with a crowd. The fisherman on the ocean alone at night is not alone when he remembers the earnest longings which are arising up to heaven at home for his safety; the traveler is not alone when the faces which will greet him on his arrival seem to beam upon him as he trudges on; the solitary student is not alone when he feels that human hearts will respond to the truths which he is preparing to address to them.—F. W. Robertson.

Indian Tailor Bird.

A very curious nest is made by the tailor bird of India, a tiny yellow creature. To escape snakes and monkeys this bird takes a dead leaf, flies up into a tree, and with a fiber for a thread and its bill for a needle sews the leaf to a green one hanging from the tree. The sides are sewn up, an opening to the nest thus formed being left at the top. The leaf, apparently hanging from a twig, would never be taken for a nest.

NEW CLASSIFIED ADS TODAY.

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For Sale	Corn Planter
For Sale	Jersey Cow
Wanted	Housework
For Sale	Paige Car
For Sale	Maxwell oadster

Thirty Thousand Teeth.

It is, we believe, quite true that the common or garden snail "has something like 30,000 teeth. What its feelings and language must be when it has toothache we leave you to imagine.

WANTED Two Men from this County to prepare for Railway Mail Clerk, R. F. D. and Post-office Clerk-carrier examinations. Coming soon. Salaries \$1100 to \$2000 with paid vacation. Special bulletin free. National Instruction Bureau 3 Arcade, Columbus, O.

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HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A woman to do cooking at Hill Kare Park. Inquire H. D. Ruhlman, Grand Hotel. 5-11

WANTED—Boys over 16. Apply cutting room. Xenia Shoe Factory. 5-14

LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE—Horse, 1150 pounds, age 9; \$90. John Harbine, Allen bldg. 5-15

FOR SALE—Sow and pigs. No. 273. Bellbrook ave., Bell 311-W. 5-15

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow, calf by side. H. O. Beatty, Xenia, R. 5. 5-16

FOR SALE—Horse, wt. about 1200; sound, good worker. C. H. phone. 86-R. 5-16

FOR SALE—Duroc sow and pigs. Call after 5, 193 Lexington ave. 5-16

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred single comb White Leghorn eggs for hatching; also, baby chicks. Orders taken now. Mrs. Russell Gram, Bell phone Chilton, 40-11. May 12

FOR SALE—Two sows and 13 pigs, 6 weeks old. 36 Center street, city. 5-14

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred big-type Poland-China male hog. Swain Pen-ewit, Bell 24-K3, Bellbrook. 5-14

AUTOMOBILES

AUCTION SALE—On Thursday, May 15th, 1919, at 10 o'clock, P. M., will sell at public auction at Smith's garage, in rear of 28 West Second street, Xenia, Ohio, one Cino five-passenger automobile, together with the equipments thereon. Terms, cash. John T. Harbine, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio. 5-14

FOR SALE—1917 enclosed Ford; practically new Ford touring car. Both in perfect condition. Must sell at once. Call Jamestown 200. 5-16

FOR SALE—D. E. Crow is offering for sale his 7-passenger Paige touring car. Call interurban station before 2 p. m. 5-16

FOR SALE—1917 Maxwell roadster, newly painted and repaired, running fine; good tires. Phone Bell 334. Citizens 11. 5-16

FOR SALE—Studebaker coupe and Ford touring. De Luxe body. Priced right. McLaughlin Supply Co. 5-15

FOR SALE—1914 five passenger Buick, splendid condition, new tires. Self starter and electric lights. Inquire Bell phone 4019 R2. 5-15

LOST.

LOST—Tire carrier, with 32x3 1/2 tire and license No. 499623. Call Bell phone 814-R, and owner will call and get same. 5-15

LOST—D. of A. pin, with owner's first name on. Call Bell 743-W. Reward. 5-15

SITUATION WANTED

PAPER HANGING—Fine samples to select from cheap. Frank Hamilton, C. H. phone 14-815 Wilberforce. 5-22

WANTED—Light carpentering, repairing wooden articles, or general handy work performed; in or out of shop. Very reasonable price by hour. Call rear 24 W. Second, or Bell phone, 786-W. 5-17

WANTED—Work by a white girl, to assist in house work. Bell phone, 4034-R13. 5-14

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

WE BUY AND SELL second hand furniture. We have on hand now two good coal ranges, in excellent condition. Shope Second Hand Store, Main and Columbus Sts. Bell 337-W. C. H. 187. 5-14

FOR SALE—Four burner Perfection Oil Stove, with oven in excellent condition. Call Bell 253-R4. 5-14

FOR SALE—All kinds of furniture at Shope's Second Hand Store, Main and Columbus Sts. Bell 337-W. C. H. 187. 5-14

MISCELLANEOUS

CABBAGE, TOMATO and PANSY plants ready now. Engle Floral Co. Both phones. 5-14

DRAFT BREEDERS NOTICE—The Percheron stallion "Coxie" 10774, will make the season of 1919 at Oakland farm—one mile from fairground on Fairground road. Terms, \$15 to insure a living foal. James H. Hawkins, if possible use phone—Bell 741-R-4. May 22

NOTICE—Ready for dipping, furnishing everything. Warm water, 75c for ewes, 50c for lambs. Address: The Greene County Wool Cutter, 79 Home avenue. 5-24

ATTENTION BREEDERS—Grain D'or, No. 128,894, Bay Percheron, registered in L. S. A., owned by Spring Valley Horse Breeders' Association, is a beautiful dark bay four year old. Will weigh 1800. Good style and action. All Percheron admirers should see this horse. This horse will make the season at \$20. at J. O. Peterson's barn. Every precaution will be taken to avoid accidents, but we will not be responsible for any accident. Parting with mare forfeits insurance. Spring Valley Horse Breeders Association. May 26

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Seed corn. Early Yellow Dent and Leaming. \$3 per bushel at crib, four miles west of Xenia, on Dayton pike. Bell phone 4036-R3. Albert Ankeney & Son. 5-16

FOR SALE—Corn planter, in good condition. D. C. Bickett, Citizens phone, 2-806. 5-16

FOR SALE—Two Guinea pigs. Call Bell 461-W. 5-15

FOR SALE—3 lbs. clean old newspapers 5c, at Gazette & Republican. 5-15

FOR SALE—Some first-class vinegar barrels and kraut kegs and boxes. Waddies Cash Grocery. 5-15

FOR SALE—Oliver cultivator. Good condition. Glenn Bartlett, R. 2, C. H. phone. 5-15

FOR SALE—Jersey sweet potatoes, 50 cents a hundred; yellow, red and green mangos, 10c dozen; panderosa, corless, manifold, Bonny Best, Yellow Fanderosa tomato plants, 10 cents a dozen. Bell 773-R. Chas. Grandin, 230 High street. 5-16

OLD NEWSPAPERS—3 lbs. for 5c, at Gazette office. 5-15

FOR SALE—Large family Bible, handsomely bound. St. James edition. Contains revised version. Biblical history, references, etc. \$6 if sold at once. Call at Gazette office. 5-13

FOR SALE—Jersey sweet potato plants ready now. Geraniums, pansies, asters, salvias, all kinds of vegetable plants. Edward Nichols, Bell 4012-W-12. 5-16

FOR SALE—Selected Home Early Yellow Hybrid Seed Corn. G. H. Bond, Bell 21-Y3, Bellbrook, O. 5-15

AUTHORIZED WAR BOOKS—White and Colored, \$2 up Life Villa, 25c; Dream books, 25c, sent postpaid. Presents given. Agents wanted. Circular free. Address Central Agency, 10 1/2 W High, Springfield, O. 5-14

GASOLINE ENGINES, fine new 3 h. p. \$65 each. John Harbine, Allen Building. 5-14

FOR SALE—Jolt wagon, one or two horse Jeffries & Pudge. 5-15

FOR SALE—Three large store counters. L. yd & Co., 18 Allen bldg. 5-15

FOR SALE—4,000 bu. corn. William Taylor, Jamestown, O. Phone 3. 5-14

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

RESIDENCES For Sale—All prices, all sizes. John Harbine, Allen Building. Telephone. May 14

FOR SALE—The Pearson residence, on North Detroit street; 9 rooms and bath, in good repair. Also, lot on King street. Will sell house and lot together or separately. R. R. Grieco, room 17, Allen bldg. 5-13

WE ARE OFFERING for sale the 162 acre farm of the late H. H. Jobe, located on the Jamestown pike, 2 1/2 miles from Xenia. One of the most beautiful country homes in Greene county. Absolutely modern, bath, furnace, electric lights; large barn, garage, also, new tenant house; and all necessary outbuildings; land level and under high state of cultivation. It is seldom that such a home is available. Call or see Long & Marshall, Xenia, Ohio, exclusive agents. Both phones. 5-17

PARM—165 acres, extra fine corn land, well improved, near Dayton car line. \$37,338. John Harbine, Allen bldg. 5-16

FOR SALE—\$50 cash and \$10 per month buys a house and lot on East Church street. See Custis. 5-14

FOR SALE—8 room, 2 story frame house; stable, cellar, bath, gas, good well and 4 lots located on west side of South Detroit St., on car line. Priced to sell. See Custis. 5-14

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JOHN W. PRUGH, "the Real Estate Man," will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twelve years successful business. A square deal. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-14

POULTRY AND EGGS

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, from stock that won and weigh. Winners at Indiana, Ohio, Dayton, Columbus and Springfield. Both pen and farm range stock. Write or phone for prices. Lech Bickett, Route 9, Xenia, Bell phone 4093-2. Apr 30, 19

TAKING ORDERS—Day old chicks, Rocks and Reds. Pure bred stock. Parcel Post shipment. Mrs. Verley Lewis, C. H. 7-804, Route 6, Xenia, Ohio. 5-20

FOR SALE—S. C. R. J. Red eggs for hatching. Extra laying strain. Mrs. H. N. Jones, Jamestown. Citizens 11-142. 5-31

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Living room for man. Gazette Bldg. adv. 14

FOR RENT—Flat, upstairs, 3 rooms and bath, central. Nice. No children. Bell 786-W. 5-15

FOR RENT—Blue grass pasture, by head. Guaranteed water. C. Turner, Wilberforce, Ohio. 5-19

PUBLIC SALE.

PUBLIC SALE—May 16th, at 1:00 p. m. in Davidson Bldg. on Green street, Xenia, all personal property of the late Margaret Julia Kendall—linens, trunks, dishes, carpets, rugs, and table ware. R. R. Grieco, Auctioneer. J. E. Sutton, Clerk. 5-14

WANTED

WANTED—To sell all our old newspapers—in 3 lb. packages, 5c. Gazette & Republican. 5-14

WANTED—Country meat and lard. Call Bell 4019-5. 5-14

A Pun.

There's a man in our town whom they call "the human sponge"—he never feels swell unless he's soaked.—Ontario Post. May 26

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL

DR. R. A. MOYE
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FESS WILL TRY TO
GET NEW POSTOFFICE
FOR SPRINGFIELD

Providing that the inadequacy of the present building in which the Springfield post office is housed can be shown, Congressman S. D. Fess has promised to introduce a bill at the next session of congress asking for a special appropriation to provide a new government building for the Clark county capital.

Announcement to this effect was made Monday night at a membership meeting of the Springfield Chamber of Commerce. Springfield maintains that she has outgrown her present building.

Ally for Mother.

Little Elsie (after being punished) —I think papa is dreadful. Was he the only man you could get, mamma? —Edinburgh Scotsman.

XENIA MARKETS

XENIA GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Wheat, per bushel \$2.65

Oats, per bu. 70c

Corn, per bu. \$1.65@1.75

Rye, per bushel \$1.50

Mixed Timothy Hay \$39.00

Mixed Hay \$23.00

Straw \$8.00

Creamery Butter, wholesale 50c

Creamery Butter, retail 65c

Oleomargarine, retail 40c

Oleomargarine, wholesale 35c

Eggs, wholesale 40c

Eggs, retail 45c

Quicks, wholesale 25c

Chickens, retail 30c

LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Faulkner & St. John.

Choice heavies \$19.00@19.25

Heavy yorkers \$18.50@19.00

Light yorkers \$17.50@17.75

Good pigs \$17.50

Choice fat sows \$17.00@17.25

Common to fat sows \$15.00@16.00

Stags \$11.00@12.00

CATTLE

Good heifers \$7.00@7.50

Shipping steers \$2.00@10.00

Bologna cows \$4.50@5.00

Cows \$5.00@6.50

SHEEP AND LAMBS

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Spring lambs \$5.00

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Sows \$16.00@17.00

Stags \$12.00@13.00

CATTLE

Butchers steers \$10.00@12.00

Choice heifers \$11.00@12.00

Choice cows \$8.00@10.00

Calves \$12.00@14.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Sheep \$6.00@8.00

Spring lambs \$5.00

A Minimum Fee

By AUGUSTUS G. SHERWIN

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There was a "Merchants' Protective association" at Milburn composed of ten local storekeepers, and its members expressed a good deal of curiosity and interest at a monthly meeting where it had been announced Roscoe Meredith had a matter of importance to present for their consideration.

Roscoe was a general favorite in the town.

"Gentlemen," he said when he appeared before the association, "I have in my pocket my entire fortune—a license to practice law. The city invited with glittering prospects, but prescribed initially a surplus capital I have not got. Wayneville down the line offered a starvation salary to its legal department. Rushton tendered an opening in the law department of a big harvester concern, which meant burying oneself. In Plympton I am known. Old Judge Barnes, the only other attorney this side of the county seat, is about to retire. I have decided to put out my shingle in Plympton."

"Good for you! We want you!" enthusiastically hailed the leading local grocer.

"Provided—"

There was a hush and an eager series of glances. The proviso held in suspense somehow put a damper on proceedings.

"Provided," continued Roscoe, "I can earn a living in my native town. I have figured it out. Lem Dole, assessor and collector, is about to move away. That leaves those positions vacant. Elect me as Dole's successor and there is a surety of five hundred dollars a year."

"We'll do that, don't doubt it. Roscoe," observed the governor of the association.

"That," continued Roscoe steadily, "is not enough. I shall have to have a thousand. Here is my proposition: You ten people have more or less litigation each year. I will make to each one of you a minimum annual fee—fifty dollars apiece. That makes up the thousand dollars. For the fifty I will cover all local suits, give all necessary verbal advice and attend to collections on a fifteen per cent commission basis. All this will enable me to have spare time to work up general business, and I shall stay with you and grow up with you, and later on if a judgeship comes along count me in as a candidate if I deserve it."

The proposition was unanimously accepted and everybody seemed pleased with the arrangement. Roscoe took out a part of the ten subscriptions in trade. Thus: from the tailor a suit of clothes; from the general store his footwear, neckwear and hosiery; from the grocer and the butcher supplies for the larder, for he lived at the home of his aged mother. A few litigious farmers came in to secure his services, and while his progress was slow he was financed for the year and did not worry.

Six months had passed by and Roscoe had accumulated a small store of money, when one day there entered his office an old man who seemed to be a confirmed invalid. He introduced himself as Mr. Alward Trude, and stated that he and his daughter had just arrived in Plympton, had arranged for rooms with Widow Larkins and intended to remain until a suit they designed bringing in Bell county was decided.

"It's the Tarleton estate," soberly announced Mr. Trude, and Roscoe began to smile. "I see you are familiar with it and don't think much of its merits," went on Mr. Trude. "I suppose there have been twenty litigants in the matter during the past ten years, and every one of them losers. For all that, I should feel I had not done my duty if I did not try to prosecute the claim of my dead wife. I offer you the case on contingency—fifty per cent if you win. If I lose I will give you what I can afford, which may not be much. Think it over, and I will call again in the morning."

That night Roscoe went over all that he had read and heard of the Tarleton case. It was an instance where powerful moneyed interests were able to tire out poor and obscure litigants. Roscoe had about made up his mind to refuse an apparently hopeless mission when Mr. Trude chanced to bring his daughter with him to the office. An hour in that sweet presence and Roscoe was willing to devote time and money both, if the sacrifice might further increase their acquaintanceship.

Roscoe discovered some strong points in the claim of the Trudes, but the case went against them. It took his last dollar to appeal to a higher court. No other litigant had ever gone that far. The unsettled suit hampered the defense. They began to fear the resolute, persistent young lawyer. He might annoy them for years with an expensive crop of new prosecutions. They settled with Mr. Trude for ten thousand dollars.

"I am now able to settle your fee," announced Mr. Trude one day.

"Can't we treat it as a sort of bulk family fund?" propounded Roscoe with a smile.

"Why, what do you mean?" inquired Mr. Trude.

"That your daughter Lillie has just accepted me, and, if you don't object, we shall be married in June."

GIVES WIFE LIFE ESTATE BY WILL

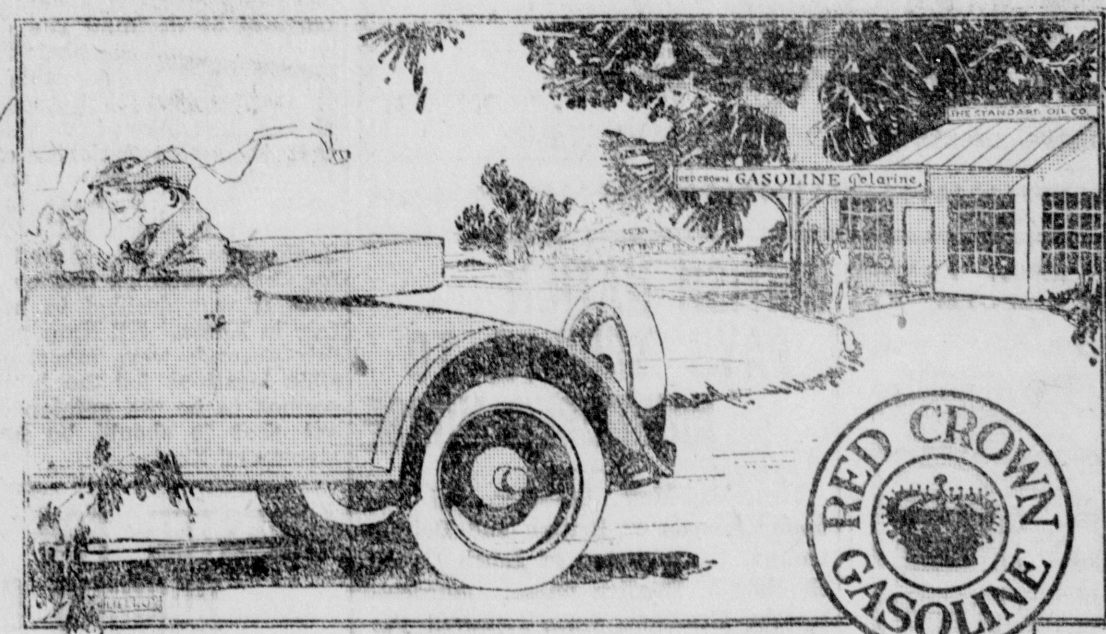
By the will of Reuben Miller, late of Beavercreek township, which has been admitted to probate, his wife is given a life estate in 22 acres and in the testator's share of 80 acres which entire amount comprises the 101 acre farm on which they live. At her death it goes to the children, share and share alike. The will provides that the grandson, Harry Miller receive \$500 when he is 21 years of age. The will was executed in 1896 and a codicil added in 1908. C. G. and Edwin R. Miller were appointed executors and their bond fixed at \$10,000.

When Children are Sickly



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Everything of advantage or necessity to the truck, or motor car in accessories can be found in our stock.

Also our Vulcanizing Department, is ready to give you prompt work and we also Employ Nothing but first class Mechanics in our repair department

ADDED ATTRACTION AT THE BIJOU TONIGHT AND THURSDAY NIGHT

How STETSON Hats Are Made

A two reel educational film of a trip through the world's largest hat factory. This is indorsed as one of the best educational and instructive pictures ever produced.

The
Criterion

"A store for Dad and the Boys"

Exclusive agents for Stetson Hats in Xenia.

NOTED "JAZZ" BAND LEADER SLAIN IN DISPUTE.



Europe.

Lieutenant James Reese Europe, leader of the famous band of the Three Hundred and Sixty-seventh Regiment (old New York Fifteenth) was slain while the band was giving a concert in Mechanics' Hall, Boston, Mass. Herbert Wright, a drummer in the famous band, is being held on the charge of having stabbed the band leader. Europe, famous all over the world as the American "Jazz King," acquired much fame by providing the musicians and composing a large part of the music used by Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle when the dance craze was at its height. "The Castle Lane Duck" waltz was his best known composition of this nature. He went to France with the American forces and while there organized a band from the colored fighters who were abroad. The band created a great sensation in Paris.

CEDARVILLE

The Junior banquet to the Seniors of Cedarville High School was held at the home of Miss Lucile Johnson, Friday evening, May 9. Plates were laid for 26 guests. The table was decorated in the Senior colors, old rose and white. A four-course banquet was served. Harold Myers, president of the Junior class, acted as toast master and gave the welcome toast. The reply was given by Charles Townsley, president of Senior class. Prof. Parker's toast was, "What You May Make of Your Lives." Miss Florence Somers, principal, and Miss Wilma Spencer both gave toasts. The toast to the teachers was given by Alice McKibben, reply, Miss Blanche Turnbull, domestic science teacher. Miss Hazel Lowry, English teacher, gave a toast on "Reminiscences." Miss Florence Smith gave "Advice to the Seniors," (in slang). "Farewell to the Seniors," Marion Stormont, reply, Marjorie Wright. The Johnson home was beautifully decorated throughout the rooms with the Junior colors. In the dining room the Senior colors were used.

Rev. J. W. Patten preached the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Cedarville High School, Sabbath night, in the M. E. church. The pulpit was beautifully decorated with dog wood, ferns and pink roses. Miss Dorothy Oglesbee sang a solo, "Face to Face," and Mrs. J. W. Johnson and daughter, Lucile, sang a duet, "Rock of Ages."

Misses Alice Lackey and Mayme Wright have issued invitations to both the Seniors and Juniors for Thursday evening.

Dr. W. W. Iliffe and daughter, Eloise, will arrive here Tuesday, from Brookline, Mass. Miss Eloise will remain here the guest of relatives and her father will go on to St. Louis, Mo., to attend a convention of the Presbyterian church.

Rev. L. A. Benson of Clay Center, Kan., Rev. W. P. Harriman of Fairview, Pa., and Rev. Thomas White of Philadelphia, will all be in Cedarville, this week, attending the closing exercises of the Reformed Presbyterian Seminary.

Not Valued.

"Politeness costs nothing"—perhaps if it did there would be more of it.—Boston Transcript.

HOME COMING CELEBRATION FOR SOLDIERS TO BE HELD LABOR DAY

Practically every member of the large committee named to prepare a Home Coming celebration for the soldiers of Greene county met Tuesday evening in the assembly room of the Xenia Business Men's Association. The big hall was filled almost to overflowing by interested committee members from all parts of the county. This splendid and united interest of people of Greene county in the joyous celebration that is planned gives assurance that it will be the biggest event ever attempted in the county.

The meeting was called for the purpose of deciding the date of the celebration and the place it should be held. After considerable discussion it was agreed that the celebration should be delayed until such time that the great majority of the boys of the county had arrived home from overseas. Therefore Labor Day which falls on Monday, September 1st was picked as the day for the celebration and by unanimous vote it was decided to hold the affair in Xenia. Kil Kare park and the fair grounds were mentioned as possible locations for the jubilee but it seemed to be the opinion of all present that it should be held on the streets of Xenia.

Chairman Prugh was authorized to appoint a number of sub-committees to handle the details of the celebration. The heads of these sub-committees will constitute the executive committee which will have general charge of the affair. Mr. Prugh stated that these committees would be representatives of all parts of the county. They will be named later. All patriotic organizations in the county were asked to name committees to help boost the celebration. Heads of these patriotic committees are asked to report to Chairman Prugh as soon as they have been named.

President Scarborough of Wilberforce was present at the meeting and stated that Wilberforce university was going to have a little home coming celebration in June for the Wilberforce soldiers, the early date being chosen because when the school year closes the students will scatter to all parts of the country and a celebration at a later date would be impossible. In as much as Wilberforce students will not be back in time for the Labor Day celebration the county committee was authorized to name a committee to attend the Wilberforce celebration and convey the welcome of the entire county to the Wilberforce soldiers.

BRITISH LABOR LEADER COMING HERE TO TOUR COUNTRY.



Arthur Henderson.

Arthur Henderson, leader of the British Labor Party, will leave for the United States shortly, according to a report from London. Mr. Henderson will make a tour of the country under the auspices of the American Labor Party. Mr. Edward I. Hannah, president of the Central Federated Union, upon receipt of the report, said:

"I anticipate that Mr. Henderson, when he comes, will give general expression on the advisability of the American Labor Party entering into politics. Personally I think the party will get into politics despite whatever opposition exists."

MAPLE SYRUP CROP HALF AS BIG; BUT TWICE AS COSTLY

Columbus, May 13.—Although Ohio's maple sugar and maple syrup crop was much smaller this year than 10 years ago, its value will be approximately double that of the crop in 1909, according to a report issued today by J. L. Cochran of the joint United States and the State Crop Reporting Service.

Smallness of this year's crop was attributed to the shortness of the season, caused by the mild weather, and to the shortage of labor.

The report shows that Ohio ranks third in the production of maple sugar and syrup. Vermont leads, with New York second.

The number of trees tapped in Ohio this year was 2,378,000, the report estimates, with a production of 199,750 pounds of sugar and 807,300 gallons of syrup.

Ten years ago, approximately 3,171,000 maple trees were tapped, with a production of 257,600 pounds of sugar and 1,323,400 gallons of syrup. The 1909 crop was valued at \$1,099,000.

Beware.

The frequent repetition of any facial expression causes permanent alterations in the expression, and these correspond with, and suggest to the beholder, the emotional state that has predominated; so that the man who is always laughing comes to look "a jolly man," the thinker a thoughtful man, and the woman who worries begins to wear a worried look that persists.

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